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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL SESSION.

Special session of the Council, held for the purpose of organizatoin, at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Friday, January 1, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon.

The Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Whelan and Zang.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 30, 1908.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—You will please call a meeting of the Council for Friday, January 1, 1909, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of organization and the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

The Clerk stated that the first business in order would be the election of a permanent Chairman for the ensuing year.

Councilman Buckley moved that Councilman Whelan be elected permanent Chairman for the ensuing year.

Councilman Gonzales moved that Councilman Friedrichs be elected permanent Chairman for the ensuing year.

For Councilman Whelan—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

For Councilman Friedrichs—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Declining to vote—Councilmen Friedrichs and Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Clerk declared Councilman Whelan elected permanent Chairman for the ensuing year and requested Councilmen Zang and Wren to conduct him to his seat.

The Chairman having been conducted to his seat, returned thanks for the honors conferred.

Councilman Wren moved that a committee of three be appointed by the Chairman to adopt rules of order.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley moved that a committee of two be appointed to wait on His Honor the Mayor and ascertain if he had any communication to present to the Council.

Adopted.

Chairman Whelan appointed as such committee Councilmen Zang and Friedrichs.

The committee returning, presented the following message from His Honor Mayor Steil:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I submit to you herewith my fourth annual message, and extend to you the compliments of the season with best wishes for a harmonious, economical and conservative administration of our municipal affairs throughout the ensuing year.

The reports of the various officials and departments of the city are most encouraging, and I commend them to your careful consideration.

FINANCES.

The financial condition of our city is most gratifying, and reflects much credit upon those city officials upon whom has devolved the care of our finances and the administration of our municipal government. The recent sale of school bonds at the premium offered therefor emphasizes the confidence which financiers have in the stability of our city government. While our taxpayers were obliged to pay for the year 1908 an increase of seventy-two cents per thousand dollars valuation in excess of the taxes for 1907, I desire to call attention to the fact that said increase was due entirely to the increase in county tax and State school tax. For city purposes the tax in 1907 was $8.98 per thousand dollars valuation, as against $8.19 per thousand dollars valuation for the year 1908, thus showing a decrease in said tax rate of seventy-nine cents per thousand dollars.

STREETS.

Considering the limited amount of money appropriated for the purpose of maintaining our streets and keeping them clean, the Street Commissioner and his assistants are deserving of much praise for all that has been accomplished in this respect throughout the past year. As stated in my former annual message, the deplorable condition of the paving on Washington, Fourteenth and Ferry streets demands immediate attention. The heavy traffic on said streets actuates me in urging you to provide for the repavement thereof with specification blocks with concrete foundation, which pavement I am of the opinion will be most durable. I am advised that the telephone company have about completed the placing of their wires underground, and I trust that the telegraph and electric light companies will soon place their wires underground also, so as to permit the removal of the unsightly poles now upon our streets, and

at the same time conform to the requirements of the New York Board of Fire Underwriters.

Several blocks of our city streets were recently repaved with wood block pavement, and the result attained therefrom has been so satisfactory that I recommend the repavement of other streets with similar material. I am advised that the residents of Bloomfield street are desirous of having said street repaved with this material, and I would urge you therefore to gratify their wishes in this respect upon their petitioning therefor.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The public school system is undoubtedly a most important branch of our municipal government and the school authorities are to be congratulated upon the excellent condition, economical management and efficient conduct of our schools.

One of the most important, one of the most expensive and at the same time one of the most difficult problems with which a city has to contend, is the department of education. We all acknowledge that our schools are second to none in the State, but to maintain that high standard of efficiency requires a large expenditure of money in the way of salaries, supplies, repairs and the erection of new school buildings. I have always been of the opinion that if there is any place where we should show liberality in appropriations, but not extravagance, it is toward our school department, because the future of our city will depend largely upon the efficiency of our schools of to-day. During the past year the School Board has exercised economy in the conduct of its business, and the work in all departments has been marked by perfect harmony. All supplies for the department were obtained, so far as possible, under contract, based on the lowest and best bids, and only on requisitions authorized by the Board.

The greatest embarrassment with which the School Board had to contend for many years has been the lack of school accommodations. In order to properly care for the ever-increasing number of children attending our public schools, many half-day classes were necessitated in various parts of the city. This congestion has been overcome by the opening of School No. 9, located in the southwestern part of the city. To-day, there are no part-time classes, and for the first time in many years every child who attends our schools is provided with a seat, and furthermore enjoys the right and privilege of a full day's teaching. School No. 9 is a thoroughly up-to-date building and is a credit to the city. It reflects creditably upon the good judgment and wisdom of the Board of Education in constructing a school building that is in accordance with the latest and most approved ideas of school architecture.

The High School is an important part of our school system. It is admitted by the patrons of our schools and those who have the welfare of our city at heart that the present building occupied by the High School is wholly unsuited to our needs. The question of erecting a new high school building has been urged in my former messages, and had it not been for legal complications which necessitated a long delay, the much desired building would now be a reality. Having been defeated in the condemnation proceedings through a technicality, the Board of Education is now proceeding in the matter with due care with every reasonable prospect of success. The Board of Education has asked the Board of School Estimate to appropriate the sum of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the purchase of land and the erection of a building. This request was unanimously granted by the Board of School Estimate. The Common Council has already sold one hundred thousand dollars of bonds, these moneys to be used for the purchase of a site and it is the intention of the Board of Education to proceed at once in the matter. During the long period of litigation, the people who have strongly advocated a new high school building have been very patient, and I have every reason to believe that before another year rolls around that the much talked of new high school building wil be undergoing the process of construction.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Under the capable management and strict discipline of Chief Patrick Hayes, Jr., the police department of our city has advanced to an admirable degree of efficiency. I commend to your consideration and careful perusal the annual report of the Chief of the Police. The premises now occupied as a Police Headquarters are entirely inadequate, and I recommend that you take such action as may be necessary to acquire by purchase or condemnation such real estate as may be deemed advisable for the purpose of providing suitable accommodationsi for a modern police building to be used as a headquarters for the Police Department, with provision therein for a meeting room for the Board of Police Commissioners and for the Recorder's Court. I recommend the purchase of the lot of land situate on the easterly side of Willow Avenue, immediately north of the Second Precinct Police Station. In my opinion, said land will be necessary in the near future for the extension of the said station.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Fire Department, under the capable management of Chief Engineer Michael A. Dunn, has at all times demonstrated its efficiency, though additional apparatus and equipment should be provided for the demands of our growing city. I refer you to the annual reprot of Chief Engineer Dunn, issued May 1, 1908, and the recommendations therein offered by him for the betterment of said department. I join with him in the recommendation that land be purchased in the central section of our city, and a building erected thereon, equipped for the installation of a truck company. In my opinion the city should immediately acquire by purchase from the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company the property immediately north of Engine Company No. 6, located at Clinton and Eighth streets, for the use of the Fire Department in the instruction and training of its men. The acquisition of this property and the use thereof for such purpose will undoubtedly be of material assistance to the Chief Engineer in his work of enhancing the efficiency of the department.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

In my former annual message I urged that the Board of Health should provide for the office of chemist and inspector of food, drugs and beverages, and the appointment of a suitable person therefor to accomplish objects set forth by me in my said message, being then of the opinion that such office was a necessary one, and the Board of Health thereafter adopted my recommendation and appointed such an officer at a salary of $1,200 per annum, who has served in that capacity throughout the past year. I am now convinced that such an office is not only unnecessary but that all of the objects intended to be thus obtained are now in fact realized through the New Jersey State Board of Health in its enforcement of the pure food law. I believe, too, that the consensus of the public opinion is to the effect that the said office is entirely unnecessary and should be abolished, and I threfore urge the immediate abolition thereof.

CITY PARKS.

Much improvement has been made in the public parks throughout the past year. As stated in my former annual message, the parkkeepers should be required to possess a fair knowledge of such gardening as is essential for the cultivation of the lawns, shrubberies and trees, and for their protection from the ravages of insect life. The Council should see to it that the parkkeepers attend strictly to their duties.

NEW WATER MAIN.

It is a matter of general satisfaction that the installation of the new thirty-inch water main has been completed. The extension of our city water mains has not only afforded to our citizens a full and copious supply of pure and wholesome water for all purposes, but has served also to bring about the ten per cent. reduction in the rate of fire insuranc which has just been put into effect through the New York Board of Fire Underwriters within so much property as lies south of Seventh street and east of Willow avenue, the middle of the street being the dividing line. Said Board of Fire Underwriters have stated that their reason for not granting the aforesaid ten per cent reduction throughout the entire city is because fo the lack of sufficient water supply and hydrants throughout the territory lying north of Seventh street and west of Willow avenue, and they further state that when new mains and hydrants of large size have been installed throughout the said territory a similar reduction of ten per cent. will be granted. I would advise, therefore, the installatior of a sixteen-inch water main throughout the territory lying north of Seventh street and west of Willow avenue, to the end that het aforesaid reduction of ten per cent. in the rate of fire insurance may be put into effect throughout said territory.

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Free Public Library, in addition to the entertainment and pleasure it affords to its many readers, by co-operation with the Public Schools, is doing excellent work in the cause of education. Not only the pupils who are attending school are benefited, but the many who are compelled to leave at an early age are enabled to supplement and develop the work of education begun in the school, and with its present collection of over 38,000 volumes, covering all branches of education, is well equipped to meet all demands in this direction. The details of library work are fully covered in the annual report of the Free Public Library Trustees to the Mayor and Council.

INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION.

Hoboken has the proud distinction of being one of the pioneers in the State of the advocacy of manual training. During the past twenty-one years that industrial training has been a part of our public school system, it has been growing steadily in popular favor. That manual training in one form or another has an educational value for both the hand and head is no longer questioned. Every facility should be given to our girls and boys to obtain a training which will enable them to take their respective places in the great body of industrial workers as soon as school life shall terminate. Hoboken is preemi-

nently an industrial city, being represented by no less than fifty-one different industries. It is the aim of the Board of Industrial Education to give such exercises as will train the brain and eye and at the same time widen the mental horizon. The results achieved by this department of education is such as to be justly proud of.

INLAND BATH HOUSES.

I call your attention to the necessity of providing at once for an inland public bath house for the use of the people of our city. The recent grant by the Council of the water front rights in and to the lands lying under water in front of Hudson Square Park will require the removal of the public bath therefrom, thus making it necessary for the city to provide a public bath elsewhere. In some of our neighboring cities, inland public bath houses have proved to be most satisfactory.

PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS.

I have determined to appoint a Board of Playground Commissioners, consisting of three of our citizens, pursuant to the provisions of "An Act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof," approved May 7, 1907. Said Commissioners shall have full control over all lands, playgrounds and recreation places for children acquired or leased under the provisions of the aforesaid act and the maintenance and custody thereof.

I have arranged with the Hudson County Park Commissioners for the use by the city of the property known as St. George Cricket Grounds for recreation purposes, and, in order that our citizens, and our children particularly, may have the beneficial enjoyment of said property throughout the winter months, I recommend the flooding of same with water, so that when frozen skating and other winter sports may be indulged in.

In conclusion, permit me to suggest that in the administration of the municipal affairs of our city we should ever bear in mind that we are but the servants of our people, and we should co-operate to practice rigid economy in the conduct of the city's affairs.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Councilman Buckley moved that the message be received, spread in full on the minutes, and the Clerk be directed to have five hundred copies of the same printed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented and read:

Mayor's Office.
Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mr. Thomas Coughlin Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes, for a full term of five years, ending January 1, 1914.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Councilman Buckley moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Steil be received and the nomination of Mr. Thomas Coughlin as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented and read:

Mayor's Office.
Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mr. Anthony Capelli as Police Commissioner for a full term of four years, ending January 1, 1913.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Councilman Clark moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Steil be received and the nomination of Mr. Anthony Capelli as Police Commissioner be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Feely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented and read::

Mayor's Office.
Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mr. James Harksen Commissioner of Assessments for a full term of three years ending January 1, 1912.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Councilman McFeely moved that the communication from His Honor Mayor Steil be received and the nomination of Mr. James Harksen as Commissoiner of Assessments be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented and read:

Mayor's Office.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Mrs. C. B. Alexander for a term of one year, Mr. Julius Lichtenstein for a term of two years and Mr. A. J. Demarest for a term of three years as Playground Commissioners.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. STEIL,

Mayor.

Councilman Buckley move dthat the communication from His Honor Mayor Steil be received and the nominations of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Mr. Julius Lichtenstein and Mr. A. J. Demarest, as PPlayground Commissoiners, be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Mr. James Whalen Fire Commissioner for a full term of five years, ending January 1, 1914.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Mr. Bernard McGovern as a Member of the Board of Health, to fill the unexpired term of John F. O'Hara, resigned.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. STEIL,

Mayor.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Mr. Ferdinand Kaegebehn a member of the Board of Trustees of the Free Public Library for a full term of five years, ending January 1, 1914.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. STEIL,

Mayor.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office.

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 1, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Mr. J. Henry Timken a member of the Board of Health for afull term of four years, ending January 1, 1913.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. STEIL,

Mayor.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have this day appointed Mr. George Lankering, Richard Mooney, Frederick Anderson and Stephen Hackett as members of the Board of Education for a full term of two years each, ending January 1, 1911.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. STEIL,

Mayor.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Frederick Kaufmann be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as Comptroller for the official term of three years.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That William J. Fitzpatrick be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as Second Assistant City Clerk for the official term of three year. s

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Harry L. Barck, Jr., be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as Overseer of the Poor for the official term of three years.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Alexander Robb be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as License Inspector for the official term of three years.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Henry Schroeder be and he is hereby appointed Inspector of Weights and Measures for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That John Sullivan, Emil Wagner, Michael Hayes and Frank Verbist be and they are hereby appointed Park Keepers for the ensuing year, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, in conjunction with the Superintendent of Parks.

Councilman Gonzales moved to amend that one of the Park Keepers be dropped.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Nays—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The original resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Daniel O'Connor, Edward Braden, Patrick Keaveney, Edward Kivlon, James Carroll, William Reilly and Charles Fieberling be and they are hereby appointed as Assistant Park Keepers for the ensuing year, at a salary of $60.00 per month, and subect to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, in conjunction with the Superintendent of Parks.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Michael Shields be and he is hereby appointed City Gardener, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, inconjunction with the Superintendent of Parks, at a salary of $60.00 per month.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That John D. Murray be and he is hereby appointed Assistant City Gardener, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, in conjunction with the Superintendent of Parks, at a salary of $60.00 per month.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That John Schneider be and he is hereby appointed Sluice Gate Keeper for the ensuing year, at a salary of $60.00 per month.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Peter A. Grace be and he is hereby appointed Assistant Sluice Gate Keeper, subject to the orders of the Committee on Sewers, at a salary of $60.00 per month.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Michael Kiely and Michael Dorsey be and they are hereby appointed Engineers of the City Hall, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That William A. Barrett be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as Janitor of the City Hall for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Thomas J. McAleer be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as City Prison Keeper for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Patrick Byrnes be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as Janitor of the Second Precinct Police Station for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That George Malone be and he is hereby appointed and confirmed as Bath Keeper and subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Julius Jeszkinsky be and he is hereby appointed as Member of the Board of Examining Engineers for the official term of three years.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Charles Schultze be and he is hereby appointed as Water Commissioner to fill the unexpired term of Henry L. Schmidt, deceased.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Zang, Wren, McFeely, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That the regular meetings of the Council be held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 4 o'clock p. m., and the several committees of the Council meet on the Tuesday evening preceding the regular meetings at 8 o'cclck.

Councilman Gonzales moved to amend that the hour be changed to 8 p. m.

The amendment was lost by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrich and Gonzales.

Nays—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The original resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Gonzales presented the following:

Whereas, The citizens of the City of Hoboken at the last general election voted in favor of increasing the pay of the firemen of the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, Of all the employes of our said city the said firemen are, by reason of the dangerous character of their duties, entitled to said increase in pay; and

Whereas, The Board of Fire Commissioners has refused and neglected to grant such increase in pay as directed by the said voters of our city; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Council recommend the said Board of Fire Commissioners to grant to the said firemen the said increase in pay, as allowed by law.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whealn.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Chairman Whelan appointed the following committee, to adopt rules of order of the Council:

Councilmen Zang, Buckley and Wren.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, January 13, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That Martin J. Whelan, Esq., be and he hereby is elected and selected Chairman of the Council of the City of Hoboken for the year commencing January 1, nineteen hundred and nine.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the location of the seats and desks of and for the respective members of the Board of Council (excepting the Chairman) for the ensuing year be fixed as follows, viz.:

On the northerly side of the Councilmanic Chamber shall be seated Councilman Gonzales, Buckley, Clark and Wren in the foregoing order named, commencing from the westerly side of said Chamber, and on the southerly side thereof shall be seated Councilmen Friedrichs, Foley, McFeely, Bahrenburg and Zang, in said order named, commencing from said westerly side thereof; and

Be it further resolved, That the City Hall janitor locate and fix said seats and desks for said members in the aforesaid order, location and positions, and that during all meetings of the Council during the ensuing year the members of the Council shall occupy such seats so assigned to them respectively, in such locations and in no other, under penalty of such censure or punishment as the Board of Council shall determine.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Rules of Order presented the following:

The undersigned Committee on Rules of Order, appointed at the meeting held January 1, 1909, do hereby respectfully submit for your consideration the rules of order submitted herewith.

RULES OF ORDER OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOBOKEN.

RULE 1.

At the hour appointed for meeting, the members present shall be called to order by the Chairman, or in his absence by the Clerk, who shall immediately proceed to call the roll and note absentees.

RULE 2.

In the absence of the Chairman one of the Councilmen shall be appointed pro tem, and the Council shall proceed to business as soon as a quorum shall be present.

RULE 3.

The order of business shall be as follows:

1st—Reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting.

2nd—Presentation of petitions, communications and claims.

3rd—Reports of Special Committees.

4th—Reports of Standing Committees.

5th—Reports and communications from the Mayor.

6th—Reports from the Treasurer or any City Officer.

7th—Unfinished business.

8th—Motions, resolutions and new business.

RULE 4.

The Chairman shall preside and preserve order and decorum, and confine members to the question under discussion.

RULE 5.

No motion shall be stated from the Chair unless moved by one members and seconded by another.

RULE 6.

No motion shall be spoken of, and to, or in any manner debated, until distinctly stated from the Chair.

RULE 7.

When a question is before the meeting, no motion shall be received except:

1st—To adjourn.

2nd—To lay on the table.

3rd—The previous question.

4th—To postpone for a specific time.

5th—To commit or amend.

6th—To postpone indefinitely.

All these motions to have preference in the above order. More than two amendments shall not be appended to a single question at the same time, the last amendment being denominated as an amendment to the amendment.

RULE 8.

If the mover of a question accept an amendment, and no one object thereto, it shall become a part of the original motion without further form.

RULE 9.

When a member is about to speak in debate, or communicate any matter to the Board, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the Chairman, and avoid all passionate language, personality or unparliamentary words. The Chair is to determine who is to have the floor.

RULE 10.

If any member in debate transgress the rules, the Chairman shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the member so called to order shall immediately sit down, unless permitted to explain. The Board shall, if appealed to, decide on the case, but without debate; if there be no appeal, the decision of the Chair shall be submitted to. If the decision be in favor of the member called to order, he shall be at liberty to proceed; if otherwise he shall not be permitted to proceed without leave of the Council, and if the case require it, he shall be liable to censure of the Council, ejectment, or to be brought to the bar upon charges.

RULE 11.

Any member may appeal from the Chairman's decision on a question of order, when, without debate, the Chairman shall demand, "Shall the decision of the Chair be sustained?" and the meeting shall decide by vote.

RULE 12.

Every member shall have the privilege of speaking twice to any single question that is debateable, but not again without permission. No speaker shall occupy more than five minutes with permission.

RULE 13.

The ayes and nays when taken shall be recorded on the minutes.

RULE 14.

When a motion has been once made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing party to move for the reconsideration thereof, on the same day or on the next day of actual meeting thereafter.

RULE 15.

Upon any roll call there shall be no discussion or explanation given by the member voting, and he shall vote aye or nay unless he shall first receive special permission from the Council to explain his vote or to refrain from casting his vote.

RULE 16.

A member of the Council who shall fail to come to order when called upon so to do by the Chairman (uness the decision of the Chair upon said question of order be not sustained by the Board of Council upon appeal therefrom), or who shall persist in disorderly action, after being specifically called to order, and shall not cease therefrom, it shall be the duty of the Chairman, on motion of a member, or at the discretion of the Chairman, to cause the Sergeant-at-Arms to summarily eject and remove such member from the Council Chamber during the progress of the pending meeting.

RULE 17.

No member shall address the Chair, be recognized by the Chairman, or vote upon any matter or question before the Council, unless such member occupy or be at the seat regularly assigned to him by the Council.

CHARLES ZANG,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
THOMAS J. WREN.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on December 23, 1908; the adjourned stated session held on December 30, 1908, and the special session held on January 1, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Chairman Whelan presented the following list of Standing Committees of the Council for the year 1909:

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 13, 1909.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—The following members I have hereby appointed as the Standing Committees of the Council for the ensuing year:

FINANCE AND SALARIES.
ZANG, McFEELY, CLARK.

PUBLIC GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS.
ZANG, McFEELY, CLARK.

STREETS AND ASSESSMENTS.
WREN, BUCKLEY, McFEELY.

SEWERS.
CLARK, McFEELY, WREN.

PRINTING AND STATIONERY.
BUCKLEY, McFEELY, CLARK.

LAMPS AND GAS.
WREN, McFEELY, BUCKLEY.

LICENSES:
BUCKLEY, WREN, ZANG.

ALMS.
McFEELY, WREN, BUCKLEY, ZANG, FRIEDRICHS.

POLICE AND MILITIA.
McFEELY, WREN, BUCKLEY.

FIRE AND WATER.
CLARK, ZANG, GONZALES.

SCHOOLS.
BAHRENBURG, CLARK, ZANG.

LAWS AND ORDINANCES.
CLARK, ZANG, FOLEY.

LEGISLATURE.
WREN, FRIEDRICHS, BAHRENBURG, McFEELY, BUCKLEY.

BOARD OF SCHOOL ESTIMATE.
ZANG, BUCKLEY.

Yours respectfully,

MARTIN J. WHELAN,
Chairman.

Communication from General Arthur McArthur Camp, No. 9, United Spanish War Veterans, requesting permission of the Council for the use of the Armory for meetings, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, approving the passage of the ordinance to prevent the posting of indecent pictures, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending that the Council abolish the office of Assistant Corporation Attorney, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending the appointment of a Superintendent of Parks and one Park Keeper for each park, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending that Washington and Bloomfield streets be entirely repaired, putting up street signs and placing telephone and other wires underground, etc., was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending that hereafter, instead of calling for bids for the entire issue of bonds, that opportunity be given to the small investor to purchase direct from the city, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Henry Meyer, M. Bott, Thomas F. Lawler, Rudolph Meyer, Henry J. Reimers, Nathan Albers, Henry Renna, Richard Boehme.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Conrad Boll, Arnold Neilson, Henry Lindemann.

For peddlers' licenses: B. T. Babbitt, Stefan Modric, J. Knyff, William Knyff.

For truckman's license: John White.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

C. W. Cooley, correcting Hoboken insurance map for 1908	$15 00
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for November, 1908	42 40

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Peter Murray, renovating Assessors' office	15 00
George Bujjoni, repairing halyards on flag pole, City Hall	5 00
Antonio Monaco, supplies furnished Second Precinct	27 65
The Antozone Chemical Co., one barrel carbolozone	65 75
George Pinner, glass furnished City Hall and Parks	44 35

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, publishing minutes of December 23, 1908	261 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of December 30, 1908, and January 1, 1909	162 00
The Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	18 25
The Observer, publishing ordinances and tax notice	242 00
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk's office	61 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	66 30
The Evening Journal Association, publishing floating indebtedness bonds ordinance	94 20
The Evening Journal Association, publishing water bonds ordinance	87 40
The Evening Journal Association, publishing ordinance for license of theatres, etc	15 60
The Evening Journal Association, publishing tax ordinance	346 50

To the Committee on Alms:

F. Lilienthal, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Reilt, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
F. Milstrey, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
F. Luis, groceries furnished the poor	39 00

H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	57 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
H. Schrader, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
M. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
C. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	35 00
Theodore Beck, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Fred. Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
Emil Le Fevre, moving poor	4 00
C. Sunkel, medicine furnished the poor	1 00
S. F. La Pinna, medicine furnished the poor	5 40
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	53 13
M. Bodem, bread furnished the poor	10 00
Stein & Weidner, care of homeless	5 00
H. K. Mulford Co., antitoxine furnished the poor	25 20
I. D. Applegate, burial of poor	8 75
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick and indigent poor, etc.	1,793 00

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Frederick Kaufmann, as Comptroller.

Charles Schultze, as Water Commissioner.

Henry Eggert, as Water Commissioner.

Richard Beyer, as City Surveyor.

William J. Fitzpatrick, as Second Assistant City Clerk.

Harry L. Barck, Jr., as Overseer of the Poor.

James Squarcella, as junk dealer.

Biagio Licazzi, as expressman.

The following communication from the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes was presented, read and received:

Office of
Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes,
Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 4, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—We beg to notify your Honorable Body that the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes have organized this day, and beg to further notify your Honorable Body that Commissioner Henry Lohmann, Jr., was duly elected President of the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes for the ensuing year.

Respectfulyl submitted,
P. J. MURRAY,
Clerk.

The following communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners was presented and read:

Board of Fire Commissioners,
Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 13, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Dear Sirs—At a stated session of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held on Tuesday evening, January 12, 1909, a communication was received from Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk, forwarding copies of preambles and resolution adopted by your Honorable Body at a session held on January 1, 1909.

I was directed to communicate with your Honorable Body, and express to you the feelings of the Fire Commissioners in the matter.

In the third preamble, the following language is used, to wit:

"And whereas, The Board of Fire Commissioners have refused and neglected to grant such increase in pay as directed by the said voters of our city.

This the Fire Commissioners take exception to, and feel it to be very unfair, unjust and decidedly uncalled for, and were a spirit of fair play manifested, from an inspection or perusal of the minutes of the Fire Commissioners, it would be apparent that the Commissioners neither refused nor were they negligent in the premises, as the following action of the Board will show.

At a session of the Board of Fire Commissioners, held on December 11, 1908, there was received from the City Clerk a communication forwarding a copy of the official canvass of the vote cast for and against Fire Department act, at the last general election, which was officially received and the Corporation Attorney was requested to advise the Board as to the proper procedure relative to increasing the salaries of the members of the Department, in accordance with the provisions of the said act of the Legislature.

At a session of the Board, held last evening, the Commissioners received an opinion from the Corporation Attorney, advising the Board in answer to the request made upon him relative to increasing the salaries.

They have also directed me to make known to you that the salaries have been increased and regulated in accordance with the act of the Legislature, not prompted, by any means, by your adoption of your preambles and resolution as aforementioned, but after a careful and deliberate study of the conditions and from the

opinion and advice furnished by the Corporation Attorney.

By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners,

D. A. HAGGERTY,

Clerk.

Councilman Buckley moved that the communication be received and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Councilman Gonzales moved to amend that the communication be referred back to the Board of Fire Commissioners.

The motion to amend was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Nays—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The original motion was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Report of Recorder McGovern, on the collection of fines for the month of December, 1908, was presented, read and ordered on file.

An ordinance to prohibit the posting, pasting, printing, nailing, maintaining or displaying on any bill-board, fence, building, frame or structure, or in any manner exposing to public view, as an advertisement of any show, play or performance, any indecent poster, print, picture or cut, tending to represent the doing of any criminal act, or representing indecently the limbs, or any part of the human body, or tending to deprave the morals of individuals, or shocking to the sense of decency, or tending to incite the mind to acts of immorality or crime, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on December 23, 1908.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to prohibit the posting, pasting, printing, nailing, maintaining or displaying on any bill-board, fence, building, frame or structure, or in any manner exposing to public view, as an advertisement of any show, play or performance, any indecent poster, print, picture or cut, tending to represent the doing of any criminal act, or representing indecently the limbs, or any part of the human body, or tending to deprave the morals of individuals, or shocking to the sense of decency, or tending to incite the mind to acts of immorality or crime, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held December 23, 1908, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to prohibit the posting, pasting, printing, nailing, maintaining or displaying on any bill-board, fence, building, frame or structure, or in any manner exposing to public view, as an advertisement of any show, play or performance, any indecent poster, print, picture or cut, tending to represent the doing of any criminal act, or representing indecently the limbs, or any part of the human body, or tending to deprave the morals of individuals, or shocking to the sense of decency, or tending to incite the mind to acts of immorality or crime, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on December 23, 1908, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session, and which was taken up and passed its third and final reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the vote on the above ordinance, which passed its third and final reading at this session, be reconsidered.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to prohibit the posting, pasting, printing, nailing, maintaining or displaying on any bill-board, fence, building, frame or structure, or in any manner exposing to public view, as an advertisement of any show, play or performance, any indecent poster, print, picture or cut, tending to represent the doing of any criminal act, or representing indecently the limbs, or any part of the human body, or tending to deprave the morals of individuals, or shocking to the sense of decency, or tending to incite the mind to acts of immorality or crime, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held December 23, 1908, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the vote on the above ordinance, which passed its second reading as rear at this session, be reconsidered.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to prohibit the posting, pasting, printing, nailing, maintaining or displaying on any bill-board, fence, building, frame or structure, or in any manner exposing to public view, as an advertisement, any indecent postor, printing, picture or cut, tending to represent the doing of any criminal act, or representing indecently the limbs or any part of the human body, or tending to deprave the morals of individuals, or shocking to the sense of decency, or tending to incite the mind to acts of immorality or crime, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading by title.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading by title.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Peter Murray, renovating Assessors' office	$15 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of December 23, 1908	261 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of December 30, 1908, and January 1, 1909	162 00
The Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	18 25
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Fred. Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
Emil Le Fevre, moving poor	4 00
C. Sunkel, medicine furnished the poor	1 00
S. F. La Pinna, medicine furnished the poor	5 40
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	53 13
M. Bodem, bread furnished the poor	10 00
Stein & Weidner, care of homeless	5 00
H. K. Mulford Co., antitoxine furnished the poor	25 20
I. D. Applegate, burial of poor	8 75
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick and indigent poor, etc	1,793 00
G. Esser, repairing door at ambulance house	10 50
Wm. R. Wilson, repairs at Armory	7 25

Wm. R. Wilson, repairs at City Hall and Armory 17 55
Wm. R. Wilson, repairs in Assessors' office 57 63

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom were referred the following bonds, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same:

Frederick Kaufmann, as Comptroller.

Charles Schultze, as Water Commissioner.

Henry Eggert, as Water Commissioner.

Richard Beyer, as City Surveyor.

William J. Fitzpatrick, as Second Assistant City Clerk.

Harry L. Barck, Jr., as Overseer of the Poor.

James Squarcella, as junk dealer.

Biagio Licazzi, as expressman.

Councilman Buckley moved that the report be received and the bonds accepted and approved in each case.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That City Surveyor Richard Beyer be and he is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for the improvement of the easterly part of the Elysian Park, and to report thereon as soon as possible.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, January 27, 1909.

The Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Absent—Councilman Foley and Chairman Whelan.

The Clerk stated the first business in order would be the election of a Chairman pro tem.

Councilman Wren nominated Councilman Buckley, as Chairman pro tem.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Wren the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on January 13, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Communication from Stephen Egan, County Collector, to James Smith, City Treasuerr, relative to County tax, was presented, read and received.

Councilman Foley appeared and took his seat.

Invitation to attend the annual barn dance of the Hop Pickers of Hudson County, to be hedl at Schuetzen Park on Saturday evening, January 30, 1909, was presented, read and accepted.

Invitation to attend the annual ball of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, to be held at Liberty Hall, West Hoboken, on Monday evening, February 1, 1909, was presented, read and accepted.

The following applications for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For rtail liquor licenses: Aniello Lanzetti, Peter Planert, Hans P. Hansen, F. B. Smith, Riemann & Tiencken.

For transfer of retail liquor license: Joseph Kravitz.

For truck license: Farr Trucking Co., (2).

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

George Ladam, services rendered to Board of Assessors $10 00

E. F. Walter, taking views of the Hamburg-American docks for Corporation Attorney 60 00

Joseph H. Cummings, revising and correcting assessment map and searching County records on river front property 90 00

John J. Fallon, transcript of testimony in relation to tax appeal of the Hamburg-American line..... 29 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

William A. Barrett, washing towels.... $6 00

Harry Rayot, two days' labor in parks. 4 00

Michael Coughlin, two days' labor in parks 4 00

Thos. M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished City Hall and Second Precinct 18 70

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Pay roll, removing ice and snow..... 157 50

Pay roll, cleaning stréets..... 218 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 132 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 270 00

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department 76 58

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department 93 90

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department 47 41

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department 37 68

William Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled 27 00

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furinshed Street Department 23 00

Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for the quarter ending January, 1909. 150 00

Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from December 25, 1908, to January 25, 1909..... 791 66

Frederick Kleen, painting and lettering cart for Street Department..... 21 00

To the Committee on Sewers:

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Sewer Department 94 04

Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Sewer Department 66 72

Mrs. M. Clark supplies furnished Sewer Department 7 00

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers 64 00

James H. Gibson, painting and lettering cart No. 6..... 18 00

James Clark, repairing water main on Paterson avenue 26 45

Pay roll, repairing sewers..... 28 75

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..... 96 00

Pap roll, cleanin greceiving basins..... 92 00

Pay roll, repairing sewers..... 25 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..... 90 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..... 95 00

Pay roll, repairing box sewer..... 25 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Inquirer, publishing proposals and ordinances 139 25

The Observer, publishing extension of taxes and minutes of January 13, 1909 ..... 151 00

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 83 55

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 68 25

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 101 00

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corporation, electric current supplied public buildings for December, 1908 ..... 408 78

Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for December, 1908..... 57 40

Public Service Corporation, street lighting for December, 1908..... 2,275 00

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and care of homeless..... 21 80

Thomas J. McAleer meals furnished prisoners and care of homeless..... 80 70

Willaim A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M..... 15 00

To the Committee on Alms:

M. Burns, groceries furnished the poor 42 00

H. F. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor 30 00

H. Reilt, groceries furnished the poor 13 00

G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor 18 00

A. Milstrey; groceries furnished the poor 3 00

Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished tre poor 6 00

A. Bezermann, groceries furinshed the poor 18 00

L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

H. Bruns, groceries furnished the poor 23 00

John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 23 00

Mary Cordock, groceries furnished the poor 3 00

Edward Keane, groceries furnished the poor 12 00

C. Pruser, groceries furnished the poor 12 00

George F. Burger, medical supplies furnished the poor..... 80 05

John F. O'Hara, burial of poor..... 70 25

M. Handle, groceries furnished the poor 4 50

L. Sherman, care of homeless..... 5 00

St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick and indigent poor and emergency cases.. 1,580 00

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, erad and received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, Jan. 26, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—I beg to inform your Honorable Body that I have called upon the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company to ascertain if that company would provide a temporary location for the public bath, the removal of which now becomes necessary, and that company has offered a temporary location therefor, as appears by the annexed communication.

I would also request your body to take the necessary steps toward the erection of an inland free public bath building.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Hoboken, Jan. 13, 1909.

Honorable George H. Steil, Mayor of the City of Hoboken:

Dear Sir—In answer to your inquiry as to a temporary location for the public bath, I would state that as this company is anxious to proceed at once with the work on the structures at the foot of Fifth street extended, it will offer for use of the city a location for the bath at the south side of the so-called Recreation Pier, near the foot of Seventh street extended, until October first, 1909.

Immediately on receiving the necessary permission from the city to proceed wit hthe work of tne said construction, this company will undertake to remove the bath to this new location of the said bath is in condition to be removed.

Yours very truly,
PALMER CAMPBELL,
General Manager.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and received:

Office Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, Jan. 27, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The matter of the appeal of the Hamburg-American Packet Company to the State Board of Equalization of Taxes from the amount of assessment made against the property of the said company, located in our city, by the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes for the year 1908, was heard before said Board of Equalization of Taxes on Friday, January

22, and the said Board determined the matter yesterday at Trenton, in favor of the appellant and against the City of Hoboken.

The Board, in making its determination, stated that inasmuch as an appeal was made by the Hamburg-American Packet Company against the City of Hoboken relating to the assessment for taxes of 1907, and the matter then heard and determined by said Board fixing a valuation of five hundred and eight thousand dollars ($508,000) upon the structures in question, and that no additions or improvements were made thereto since that time, that said Board would adhere to its former adjudication, and that therefore the assessment for 1908 should be the same as fixed by them for 1907.

The insistment of the Hamburg-American Packet Company in the matter of said appeal was that Piers 2 and 3 of said company were actually of no value because of what they claimed to be their rotten and dangerous condition, and several witnesses were offered by said company who testified thereto.

For the public safety and in the interests of persons who are obliged to visit said piers, and considering the sworn statements of the witnesses offered by the Hamburg-American Packet Company as aforesaid, I would advise your Honorable Body to direct the Building Inspector to make a thorough investigation of the condition of said piers and to report thereon.

The North German Lloyd Steamship Company has also appealed from the assessment imposed against its property by our local assessors for the year 1908, and in order that the assessment as made by our local assessors may be confirmed, I would advise that you authorize me to employ engineers and the like as expert witnesses in behalf of the city to make examination of the property in question, and to testify in regard thereto.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Assistant Corporation Attorney Allen was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, Jan. 27, 1909.

To the Honorable the Board of Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I beg to report that I did, on January 25, instant, deliver to his Honor the Mayor, two agreements between the Mayor and Council and the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, and two agreements between the Mayor and Council and the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, drawn pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of the ordinances relating thereto, passed December 23, last. That said agreements are ready for execution by the Mayor and City Clerk as provided for in said ordinances.

Very respectfully,
HORACE L. ALLEN,
Assistant Corporation Attorney.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,450.09, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of January, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half of the month of February, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,001.89, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half of the month of January, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,528.49, ao pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half of the month of February, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners, for the sum of $1,850.33, to pay claims in the laying of the new 30-inch water main, was presented, erad and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following annual report of the Board of Water Commissioners was presented, read and received:

ANNAUL REPORT OF WATER REGISTRAR.

Hoboken, Dec. 31, 1908.

Receipts:

1908.	
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of house rates due prior to January 1, 1908	$5,310 38
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of measured water due prior to January 1- 1908	24,492 90
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of house rates, current year (1908).....	23,910 29
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of measured water, current year (1908)..	170,353 39

Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of penalties	130 60	
		$224,197 55
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of tapping permits..	1,637 50	1,637 50
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of street opening permits	327 00	327 00
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of City Treasurer, interest on bonds.....	900 00	900 00
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of Mayor and Council payments on bond issue	86,083 32	86,083 32
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of plumbers' licenses	90 00	90 00
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of Hudson Companies for labor and materials supplied in laying main on Ferry street, between Hudson and Washington street	387 50	387 50
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of Hudson County Board of Freeholders for labor and materials supplied in laying and altering main at Fourteenth street for viaduct...	1,562 50	1,562 50
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of Joseph Quinn, material used on Fifteenth street	5 00	5 00
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of W. D. Bindewald, sale of old pencil sharpener	2 00	2 00
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of B. J. McGovern, sale of sleeve and pipe	3 00	3 00
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of Fagan Iron Works, sale of scrap iron....	17 56	17 56
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of J. Kniffin, sale of iron gate box.....	5 00	5 00
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of Lehman Bros., sale of old rubber boots..	1 35	1 35
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Collected on account of interest on deposits	314 67	314 67
Jan. 1, 1908, Cash in banks	7,600 20	7,600 20
Dec. 31, Outstanding warrants, Hoboken Trust Co.....	574 21	
Dec. 31, Outstanding warrants, First National Bank	174 40	
		748 61
		$323 882 76

Disbursements:
1908.

January 27. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	$10,000 00	
February 24. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	13,867 80	
April 27. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	30,000 00	
May 25. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	25,000 00	
June 24. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	10 000 00	
July 30. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	10 000 00	
August 24. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	20,000 00	
September 30. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	20,000 00	
October 28. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	10 000 00	
November 25. To pay Hackensack Water Co. on account	32,000 00	
		$180,867 80
January 27. To pay salaries and claims..	$2,483 48	
February 24. To pay salaries and claims..	1,509 20	

March 23. To pay salaries and claims..	1,594 94	
April 27. To pay salaries and claims..	2,488 79	
May 25. To-pay salaries and claims..	1,624 26	
June 24. To pay salaries and claims..	1,824 72	
July 30. To pay salaries and claims..	2,663 52	
August 24. To pay salaries and claims..	2,291 10	
September 30. To pay salaries and claims..	2,003 55	
October 28. To pay salaries and claims..	2,539 75	
November 25. To pay salaries and claims..	2,338 12	
December 24. To pay salaries and claims..	792 14	
		24,153 57
March 23. To pay Lindabury, Depue & Faulks, mandamus..	65 30	65 30
April 27. To pay interest on water bonds	$450 00	
October 28. To pay interest on water bonds	450 00	
		900 00
June 24. To pay Cavanagh & Heagney contractors on 30-inch main	80,138 87	80,138 87
June 24. To pay engineer, inspectors, interest, plumbers, asphalt cuts	5,944 45	5,944 45
December 31. To cash in First National Bank	$11,778 96	
December 31. To cash in Second National Bank	10,567 79	
December 31. To cash in Hudson Trust Co..	2,251 14	
December 31. To cash in Hoboken Trust Co	3,289 07	
December 31. To cash in Jefferson Trust Co	2,642 98	
December 31. To cash in Trust Co. of N. J.	1,282 83	
		31,812 77
		$323 882 76

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

Assets:
1908.

December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 53	$15 15	
December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 54	15 15	
December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 55	25 80	
December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 56	25 80	
December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 57	110 85	
December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 58	215 80	
December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 59	926 01	
		$1,334 56
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1896....	4 50	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1897....	10 50	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1897....	7 50	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1898....	10 69	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1898....	4 73	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1899....	2 43	
December 31. Amo int due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1901....	18 00	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1901....	17 44	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1902....	32 63	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1902....	43 32	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1903....	72 11	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1903....	115 43	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1904....	123 98	

December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1904....	191 38	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1905....	261 82	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1905....	347 76	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1906....	348 57	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending May 1, 1906....	59 63	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1906....	840 12	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Nov. 1, 1906....	61 89	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Feb. 1, 1907....	1,379 31	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending May 1, 1907....	78 76	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Aug. 1, 1907....	2,124 34	
December 31. Amount due quarter year ending Nov. 1, 1907....	152 46	
		6,309 30
December 31. Amount due Assessment No. 60, current	5,711 95	5,711 95
December 31. Amount due measured water, current	31,636 79	31,636 79
December 31. Cash in banks	31,812 77	31,812 77
Decemreb 31. Stock on hand in pipe yard, fixtures, etc.....	7,821 70	7,821 70
		$84,627 07

Liabilities:
1908.

December 31. Due Hackensack Water Co.....	$50,025 48
	34,601 59
	$84,627 07
Excess of assets over liabilities, Dec. 31, 1908.....	$34,601 59
Excess of assets over liabilities, Dec. 31, 1907.....	31,627 30
	$2,974 29

Abstract from the Annual Report of Water Registrar on the laying of the 30-inch main on Willow avenue, Thirteenth, Bloomfield and other streets:

Receipts:
1908.

June 26. Received from Mayor and Council	$14,989 60	
June 26. Received from Mayor and Council	23,545 35	
August 27. Received from Mayor and Council	17,982 16	
August 27. Received from Mayor and Council	8,699 11	
November 28. Received from Mayor and Council	7,249 80	
December 26. Received from Mayor and Council	13,617 30	
		$86.083 32

Disbursements:
1908.

June 27. Cavanagh & Heagney, first payment	$14,989 60	
June 27. Cavanagh & Heagney, second payment	22,008 40	
Ang. 27. Cavanagh & Heagney, third payment	17,982 16	
Aug. 27. Cavanagh & Heagney, fourth payment	6,092 00	
Nov. 25. Cavanagh & Heagney, fifth payment	6,413 20	
Dec. 26. Cavanagh & Heagney, sixth payment	12,653 51	
		$80,138 87
Dec. 26. Water Commissioners, typewriting, printing and incidentals	229 25	229 25
Aug. 27. Cavanagh & Heagney, labor and material supplied....	860 88	860 88
June 27. Eugene Smith, services as engineer..	924 95	
Aug. 27. Eugene Smith, services as engineer..	601 85	
Dec. 26. Eugene Smith, services as engineer..	160 33	
		1,687 13
June 27, John Hopkins, services as inspector.	204 00	

Aug. 27. John Hopkins, services as inspector.	159 00	
Nov. 25. John Hopkins, services as inspector.	240 00	
June 27. Wm. O'Toole, services as inspector.	204 00	
Aug. 27. Wm. O'Toole, services as inspector.	159 00	
Nov. 25. Wm. O'Toole, services as inspector.	240 00	
June 27. Patrick Londrigan, services as inspector	204 00	
Aug. 27. Patrick Londrigan, services as inspector	159 00	
Nov. 25. Patrick Londrigan, services as inspector	240 00	
		1,809 00
Aug. 27. T. J. Hanley, connecting service pipes on main.....	475 98	
Aug. 27. T. Bowes & Bros., connecting service pipes on main..	37 90	
Aug. 27. Jensen & Ericksen, connecting service pipes on main	153 50	
Nov. 25. T. J. Sproul, connecting service pipes on main.....	116 60	
		783 98
Dec. 24. Barber Asphalt Co., repairing asphalt cuts	447 22	447 22
Dec. 24.. Howard K. Stokes, interest on bonds	126 99	126 99
		$86,083 32

An ordinance to prohibit the posting, pasting, printing, nailing, maintaining or displaying on any bill-board, fence, building, frame or structure, or in any manner exposing to public view, as an advertisement, any indecent postor, print, picture or cut, tending to represent the doing of any criminal act, or representing indecently the limbs or any part of the human body, or tending to deprave the morals of individuals, or shocking to the sense of decency, or tending to incite the mind to acts of immorality or crime, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, which was presented, read and passed its first reading by title at a stated session of the Council held on January 13, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred thousand dollars school bonds.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of ten thousand five hundred dollars school bonds.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

An ordinance to prohibit the posting, pasting, printing, nailing, maintaining or displaying on any bill-board, fence, building, frame or structure, or in any manner exposing to public view, as an advertisement, any indecent postor, print, picture or cut, tending to represent the doing of any criminal act, or representing indecently the limbs or any part of the human body, or tending to deprave the morals of individuals, or shocking to the sense of decency, or tending to incite the mind to acts of immorality or crime, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof, which was presented, read and passed its first reading by title at a stated session of the Council held on January 13, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

William A. Barrett, washing towels....	$6 00
Pay roll, removing ice and snow.....	157 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	218 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	132 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	270 00
William Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	27 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furinshed Street Department	23 00
Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for the quarter ending January, 1909.	150 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from December 25, 1908, to January 25, 1909.....	791 66
Frederick Kleen, painting and lettering cart for Street Department.....	21 00
Mrs. M. Clark supplies furnished Sewer Department	7 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	64 00
James H. Gibson, painting and lettering cart No. 6.....	18 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	28 75
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	96 00
Pap roll, cleanin greceiving basins.....	92 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	25 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.....	95 00
Pay roll, repairing box sewer.....	25 00
The Inquirer, publishing proposals and ordinances	139 25
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and care of homeless.....	21 80
M. Burns, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
H. F. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
H. Reilt, groceries furnished the poor	13 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
A. Milstrey, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished tre poor	6 00
A. Bezermann, groceries furinshed the poor	18 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Bruns, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
Mary Cordock, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Edward Keane, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
C. Pruser, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
George F. Burger, medical supplies furnished the poor.....	80 05
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	70 25
M. Handle, groceries furnished the poor	4 50
L. Sherman, care of homeless.....	5 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick and indigent poor and emergency cases..	1,580 00
Spohn & Wittenberg, one doz. blankets for Police Headquarters.....	60 00
H. Schiever, repairing halyards on flag pole at City Hall.....	5 00
George F. Burger, one dozen cans of polish furnished Police Headquarters.	3 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished at City Hall	17 50

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Harry Rayot, two days' labor in parks.	4 00
Michael Coughlin, two days' labor in parks	4 00
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	76 58
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	93 90
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	47 41
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	37 68
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Sewer Department	94 04
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Sewer Department	66 72
The Observer, publishing extension of taxes and minutes of January 13, 1909	151 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	83 55
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	68 25
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	101 00
Willaim A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M.....	15 00

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

Thomas J. McAleer meals furnished prisoners and care of homeless..... 80 70

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,450.09, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half of the month of January, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half of the month of February, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,001.89, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half of the month of January, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,528.49, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half of the month of February, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 27, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the report of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, notifying the Council that the contractors for the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, had completed the same, respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same and find it completed in accordance with the specifications on file in the City Clerk's office, and offer the following:

Resolved, That the work and materials furnished by Henry Waddington, on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, be and the same is hereby accepted by this Council, and that the Commissioners of Assessments be and they are hereby directed to make the necessary map and report for the same and preesnt it to this Council as soon as practicable.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman Gonzales presented the following:

Whereas, The City of Hoboken has been put to a large expense, to wit: the sum of forty thousand ($40,000) dollars, for the completion of an engine house known as number six (No. 6), Clinton and Eighth streets; and

Whereas, It apepars that said building has been so carelessly and negligently constructed that it would appear upon inspection that there is gross negligence on the part of the responsible parties connected with the construction; and

Whereas, The building is in such a condition now that it requires immediate repairs, although just completed; therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to investigate and report back to this Board the details of its findings after thoroughly inspecting said engine house.

Councilman Wren moved that the resolution be tabled.

Councilman Gonzales moved to amend that the resolution be referred to the Committe on Fire and Water, and report back to the Council at the next regular meeting.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Nays—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The original motion was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,450.00, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the police force for the last half of the month of January, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,400, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the police force for the first half of the month of February, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $5,001.89, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half of the month of January, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,528.49, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half of the month of February, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half of the month of January, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as Foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as Park Keeper.	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
John D. Murray, salary as Assistant City Gardener	30 00
John Murdock, salary as Assistant Stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as Stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as City Gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as Park Keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half of the month of February, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as Foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00

Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper 30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as Park Keeper. 37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
John D. Murray, salary as Assistant City Gardener 30 00
John Murdock, salary as Assistant Stableman 25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver..... 30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver... 30 00
George McGuire, salary as Stableman 30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
William Reilly, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
Michael Shields, salary as City Gardener 30 00
John Sullivan, salary as Park Keeper.. 37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as Park Keeper.. 37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as Park Keeper.. 37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries in full for the month of January, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician $83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney..... 150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue 125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue 100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month' ssalary as Janitor of City Hall..... 75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor..... 116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks..... 100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct..... 75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 104 16
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as engineer of City Hall..... 75 00
Wm. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk..... 100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner..... 166 66
Charles Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper..... 60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk..... 116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Fred'k Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller 208 33
Michael Kiely, one month' ssalary as enginee rof City Hall..... 75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk..... 125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
P. J. Murray, one month' ssalry as Clerk to Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder 208 33
Thomas J. McAleer, one month's salary as City Prison Keeper..... 75 00
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner 125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector 125 00
John Schneider, one month' ssalary as Sluicegate Keeper 60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistant City Physician..... 83 33
Fred'k Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector 100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer..... 125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys..... 41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court... 26 00
Fred'k J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court..... 208 33

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, February 10, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley moved that the reading of the minutes of the session held January 27, 1909, be dispensed with and they be approved as printed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Invitation to attend the annual Charity Ball, to be held at the New Turn Hall, Town of Union, on Thursday evening, February 11, 1909, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Correction, requesting the Committee on Alms to appoint a delegate to the Conference, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Alms.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recomemnding that in future when the city bonds are offered for sale, that the advertisement shall read that a check for five per cent of the par value of the bonds bid for must accompany each bid, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers, relative to the employment of foreign and non-union labor in the construction and repairs of public buildings, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Charles Braun, Peter Hall, Gustav Nohse.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Martin Herman, Charles C. Strenz.

For peddler's license: Mile Jerkovich.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for December, 1908..... $36 80

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

J. H. Meyer, supplies furnished Second Precinct 21 60

John Bantz, two double ventilators in Chief of Police office..... 36 00

John Bantz, six galvanized iron window guards at City Hall..... 36 00

Jacob Ritter, attending clocks at City Hall for year 1908..... 22 50

Charles Weber, repaising map in Collector's office 75

Oscar Schlichting, two wheels for pencil sharpener 2 50

J. Rehm & Co., one case of toilet paper 4 50

W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Police Matron at City Hall..... 10 72

W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct 32 40

W. L. Kamena, coal furnished parks... 18 54

W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall 418 50

Johnston Bros., repairs at City Hall.... 41 86

Thomas Bowes & Bros., plumbing work at City Hall and Second Precinct... 38 75

Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electric work in Assessors' office and Collector's office..... 10 00

Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electric work in Recorder's Court and Police Headquarters 7 50

Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electric work at Police Headquarters..... 6 50

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

George W. Smith, veterinary services rendered Street Department..... 25 50

Charles Hvass & Co., three machine brooms refilled 40 50

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished to Street Department 13 40

To the Committee on Sewers:

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished to Sewer Department 5 70

A. J. Greenberg, one pair of hip boots. 6 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Evening Journal Association, publishing $100,000 School bonds..... 24 75

The Evening Journal Association, publishing $10,500 School bonds..... 24 75

The Democrat, stationery furnished Inspector of Weights and Measures.... 15 75

The Observer, publishing ordinance and notice to election officers..... 56 25

The Observer, publishing minutes of January 27, 1909..... 172 00

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 92 75

The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk's office	56 10
The Observer, field books for Assessors	91 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	104 75
To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:	
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for the month of January, 1909	2,275 00
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for the month of January, 1909	51 00
Public Service Corporation, electric current supplied public buildings for the mont hof January, 1909	398 32
To the Commimtee on Police and Militia:	
A. E. Solomon, supplied furnished Police Matron at Police Headquarters	20 85
To the Committee on Alms:	
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	12 50
W. Jefferds, transportation of poor	13 50
M. Bodem, bread tickets furnished the poor	10 00
Joseph Kostelecky, repairing ambulance	5 00
M. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	8 00
H. Oellermann, groceries furinshed the poor	6 00
F. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	25 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
J. H. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	26 00
R. Hensel, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
J. Deyer, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
F. Luis, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
T. Frank, groceries furnished the poor	2 00
W. Marshall, groceries furnished the poor	6 00

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented and read:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, Feb. 10, 1909.

To the Common Council and Citizens of Hoboken:

February 12, 1909, will be the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of the great Emancipator Abraham Lincoln.

I therefore request that all citizens observe his centenary in a fitting way, and participate in celebrating this day by flying our Flag and attending, if possible, some one of the various services to be held in celebration of his memory.

GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the communication was received and adopted by a rising vote.

The following communication from the City Clerk was presented and read:

City Clerk's Office,
Hoboken, Feb. 10, 1909.

To the Honorable the Board of Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—I beg to report and submit that the additional and supplemental agreement between the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken and the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, dated February 1, 1909, and the additional and supplemental agreement between the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken and the North German Lloyd Dock Company and the North German Lloyd, dated February 1, 1909, have been duly executed in behalf of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken and the respective companies.

Very respectfully,
JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

Councilman Buckley moved that the communication be received and that the additional and supplemental agreement between the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken and the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, dated February 1, 1909, and duly executed by the parties thereto, be and the same hereby is accepted, ratified and confirmed and adopted.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following report of the Overseer of the Poor was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, Feb. 1, 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen—I beg herewith to submit for your consideration my report for the month of January, 1909, as follows:

Total number of applications	377
Number of relief orders granted, amounting to $376	130
Bread tickets distributed, at 10c	125
Committed to Hospital	19
Committed to Almshouse	9
Referred for medical treatment	182
Deported	2
Letters to employers for work	21

Classified as follows:

Couples with the wage earner living	113
Widows	57
Widowers	5
Males married, away from their families	6
Males single	13
Females, single	1
Affecting 237 children of school age.	
Causes due to the lack of work, sickness and non-support. Of the latter there were 40 complaints in which there were summons issued	22
Cases referred	12
Warrants issued	12
Violating their parole and committed to County Jail	3

NATIVITY.

Finland	1
Russia	1
Canada	3
Holland	3
Hoboken	39
New York	32
Germany	43
Italy	9
England	6
Ireland	45
Denmark	1
Other places in the United States	11
Number of years residence in Hoboken at time of application:	
Less than one year	10
Less than two years	10
Less than three years	7
Less than four years	2
Five to ten years	31
Ten to twenty years	50
Twenty to forty years	51
Born in Hoboken	34

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY L. BARCK, JR.,
Overseer of the Poor.

Approved by

BERNARD McFEELY,
THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
CHAS. ZANG,
GUSTAV FRIEDRICHS,
Committee on Alms.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of January, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Frederick Doepner, as Constable of the Second Ward.

An ordinance fo provide for the issue of one hundred thousand dollars school bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on January 27, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of ten thousand five hundred dollars school bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held January 27, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance b etaken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred thousand dollars school bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held January 27, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its escond reading as read at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of ten thousand five hundred dollars school bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on Jauary 27, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For retail liquor licenses: Aniello Lanzetti, Rudolph Meyer, Henry J. Riemers, Nathan Ables, Henry Renna, Richard Boehme, M. Bott, Henry Meyer, Thomas F. Lawlor, Hans F. Hansen, F. B. Smith, Riemann & Tiencken, Peter Planert.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for thansfers of retail liquor licenses, reported in favor of granting th eprayer of the petitioner in each case:

For transfers of retail liquor licenses: Henry Lindemann, Arnold Nielson, Conrad Boll, Joseph Kravitz.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the transfers granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Foley, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Joseph Kostelosky, repairs to ambulance	$40 75
A. Monaco, shades furnished City Hall.	21 00
A. Monaco, supplies furnished City Hall	24 75
A. Monaco, supplies furnished Second Precinct	27 65
George Ladam, services rendered to the Board of Assessors	10 00
E. F. Walter, taking views of the Hamburg docks for Corporation Attorney	60 00
John J. Fallon, transcript of minutes in relation to tax appeal of the Hamburg-American Line	29 00
The Evening Journal Association, publishing $100,000 School bonds	24 75
The Evening Journal Association, publishing $10,500 School bonds	24 75
The Democrat, stationery furnished Inspector of Weights and Measures	15 75
The Observer, publishing ordinance and notice to election officers	56 25
The Observer, publishing minutes of January 27, 1909	172 00
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W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	12 50
W. Jefferds, transportation of poor	13 50
M. Bodem, bread tickets furnished the poor	10 00
Joseph Kostelecky, repairing ambulance	5 00
M. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	8 00
H. Oellermann, groceries furinshed the poor	6 00
F. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	25 00
N. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
J. H. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	26 00
R. Hensel, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
J. Deyer, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
F. Luis, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
T. Frank, groceries furnished the poor	2 00
W. Marshall, groceries furnished the poor	6 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was refererd the following claim, reported the same correct:

James Clark, repairing water main on Paterson avenue $26 45

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Foley, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

Joseph H. Cummings, revising and correcting assessment map and searching County records on river front properties $90 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That Edward Kealey be and he is hereby appointed as Assistant Park Keeper, subject to the orders of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, and the Superintendent of Parks; said appointment to fill vacancy of John D. Murray, recently appointed Van Driver of the Police Department.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following resolution was presented and read:

Resolved, That Harry L. Barck, Jr., Overseer of the Poor, be delegated and requested to represent the City of Hoboken at the annual conference and convention of the State Charities and Corrections to be held at Trenton, N. J., on February 18, 19 and 20, 1909.

BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
THOMAS J. WREN,
GUSTAV FRIEDRICHS,
CHAS. ZANG,
Committee on Alms.

Councilman Buckley moved the adoption of the resolution.

Councilman Gonzales moved to amend that the cost not to exceed the sum of ten dollars.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Nays—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The original resolution was then adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Whereas, Contracts between the City of Hoboken, the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, and the North German Lloyd Dock Company have been entered into with reference to the use of the water space in front of Hudson Square Park, which will require the removal of the public bath and the bath bridge and the various boat houses and other structures in front of Hudson Square Park; and

Whereas, The said companies desire to proceed at once with the work on the various structures at th efoot of Fifth street extended, and the widening of the paved roadway in front of the Park, and the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company having offered to furnish temporary accommodations for the public bath on the south side of the so-called Recreation Pier at the foot of Seventh street extended, until October first, 1909, as set forth in a letter to His Honor the Mayor, dated January 13, 1909, therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to notify each and all of the various boat clubs or other organizations or persons occupying or controlling the structures in front of Hudson Square Park, to remove their boat houses, boats, floats, or other structures from in front of Hudson Square Park without delay, and

Be it further resolved, That the offer of the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company to furnish temporary location for the public bath, as set forth in their letter to His Honor the Mayor, dated January 13, 1909, be and hereby is accepted, and

Be it further resolved, That the Building Inspector of the City of Hoboken be and he hereby is directed at once to remove the free public bath to the proposed location specified in said letter, and also at once to remove the bath bridge now located in front of Hudson Square Park.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN.
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, February 24, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Foley, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on February 10, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, relative to George Seymour, as not having a certificate as an exempt fireman, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, requesting the Council to instruct the Corporation Attorney to draft a bill to be presented to the Legislature authorizing the city to isuse bonds to defray expenses of an additional water main through Fifteenth and Madison streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Gustav Nohse, Peter Hall, Charles Braun, August Jefsen, Francesco Romano, Pietro Lensi, Egert Bros.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Nicholas Palihnich, Frank Chirichella, Martin Hermann, Charles C. Strenz.

For peddler's license: Mile Jerkovich.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

H. L. Barck, Jr., expenses attending conference of the State Board of Charities and Corrections at Trenton, N. J.	$14 70

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Fagan Iron Works, repairing railing at City Hall	5 00
E. Londrigan, supplies furnished City Hall	27 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from January 25 to February 25, 1909	791 66
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	26 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	197 00
Pay roll, removing ice and snow	124 00
Pay roll, removing ice and snow	163 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	187 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	38 30
Mrs. J. Brock, feed furnished Street Department	91 18

To the Committee on Sewers:

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	10 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 70

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

W. F. Whittemore, two sectional maps for Collector of Revenue	2 00
Elliott-Fisher Co., repairing typewriter.	2 25
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	60 50
The Observer, stationery furnished Assistant Corporation Attorney	22 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	85 65
The Observer, publishing ordinances, etc.	281 75
The Observer, publishing minutes of February 10, 1909	77 50

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners, etc.	10 60
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners, etc.	51 50

To the Committee on Alms:

S. Cadematory, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
Thomas J. McAleer, care of homeless	3 00
Fine & Friedman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
F. H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
J. Truebest, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	47 00
A. Rosenberg, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
W. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
F. Miehe, groceries furnished the	

poor 3 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
H. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor 17 00
Fred. Bezer, groceries furnished the poor 23 00

The following communication was presented, read and received:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I beg to report that the application by Livelli for a writ of certiorari to review the constitutionality of the act under which the Board of Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes are acting, was argued before the Supreme Court last Wednesday, and a brief submitted in behalf of the city.

Very respectfully,
HORACE L. ALLEN,
Assistant Corporation Attorney.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of street opening fees for the months of December, 1908, and January, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin on the collection of sewer tapping fees for the months of December, 1908, and January, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following report was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Office Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, N. J., February 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Maoyr and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I have this day filed with Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk, duplicate assessment rolls of both the real and personal delinquent taxpayers in the five wards of the city for the year 1908, and as the same appear of record after the 20th day of January, 1909.

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES.
Collector of Revenue.

The following report from the Commissioners of Assessments was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessment, and the Clerk directed to advertie for objections according to law.

Hoboken, February 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned, Commissioners of Assessments, herewith present to your honorable body our report with the assessment map for the improvement of Madison street, from Eighth to Fifteenth streets.

Being entirely disinterested and not owning any land or real estate along the line of said improvement, we proceeded with the making of this assessment by carefully examining the improvement on the ground and by ascertaining and locating all lands and real estate benefited by the same; the accompanying map and assessment list shows the location and extent of all lands and real estate so benefited, designating each lot and parcel by lot and block number, and the names of all owners as far as could be ascertained.

We have found the entire cost of said improvement to be as follows:

Contractor's bill	$26,729.97
Incidental expense	5,109.73
Total bill	$31,839.70

We have ascertained that the total costs and expenses of said improvement exceed the benefits received by all land and real estate therefrom to the amount of $7,010.57, which amount we have assessed upon the city at large; the remaining sum of $24,820.13 we have assessed upon all lands and real estate benefited, in proportion to benefits received.

We have also considered the question of damages and find that no property was damagd by the making of said improvement and that no person or persons are in any manner entitled to damages on account of the said improvement.

We have examined into the whole matter and have appointed a time for a hearing for all persons interested, at the City Hall, on Tuesday, the sixteenth day of February, 1909, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and then and there have heard all persons who came before us, and no person or persons appearing at said appointed time of meeting to make objections to our assessment as made, we have finally completed our assessment as shown on the map and assessment list accompanying this report.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES HARKSEN,
C. F. GUTH,
JOHN J. WINBERRY.

TIVY & SMITH,
City Surveyors,
Per EUGENE SMITH,
City Surveyor.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

N. J. Transfer & Baggage Co., as expressman.

Certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, for the sum of $70.01 each, in favor of James Harksen, C. F. Guth and John J. Winberry, as Commissioners of Assessments on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, was presented, read and

referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, for the sum of $965.65, in favor of themselves, as engineers on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,452.17, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of February, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of March, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,633.96, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of February, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4.724,31, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of March, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, for the sum of $3,000, to pay current expenses of the Free Public Library, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For retail liquor licenses: Charles Braun, Peter Hall, Gustav Nohse.

For transfer of retail liquor license: Charles C. Strenz, Martin Hermann.

For peddler's license: Mile Jerkovich.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

H. L. Barck, Jr., expenses attending conference of the State Board of Charities and Corrections at Trenton, N. J.	$14 70
E. Londrigan, supplies furnished City Hall	27 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from January 25 to February 25, 1909	791 66
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	26 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	197 00
Pay roll, removing ice and snow	124 00
Pay roll, removing ice and snow	163 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	187 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	38 30
Mrs. J. Brock, feed furnished Street Department	91 18
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	10 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 70
W. F. Whittemore, two sectional maps for Collector of Revenue	2 00
Elliott-Fisher Co., repairing typewriter.	2 25
The Observer, publishing ordinances, etc	281 75
The Observer, publishing minutes of February 10, 1909	77 50
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners, etc	10 60
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners, etc	51 50
S. Cadematory, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
Thomas J. McAleer, care of homeless	3 00
Fine & Friedman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
F. H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
J. Truebest, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	47 00
A. Rosenberg, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
W. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
F. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	3 00

N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
T. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor 17 00
Fred. Bezer, groceries furnished the poor 23 00
George Bujjoni, repairing halyards on flagpole at City Hall..... 5 00
Chas. S. Shultz & Son, supplies furnished parks 1 25
Robert Woerner, supplies furnished City Hall 5 25
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct 32 40
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall 418 50
W. L. Kamena, coal furnihsed Police Matron at City Hall..... 10 72
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished parks 18 54

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckeyl, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M..... $15 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

William Muller, for use of horse and wagon in parks..... $30 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Behrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

The Committee on Printing and Stationery, to whom were referred th efollowing claims, reported the same correct:

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices $85 65
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 60 50
The Observer, stationery furnished Assistant Corporation Attorney..... 22 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,452.17, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of February, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of March, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,633.96, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of February, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,724.31, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of March, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, for the sum of $3,000, to pay current expenses of the Free Public Library, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Zang the report was received.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved. That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,452.17, in favor George H. Steil, president of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c.,

of the police force for the last half month of February, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6.400.00, in favor George H. Steil, president of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the police force for the first half month of March, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $3.000.00, in favor of Ferdinand Kaegebehn, treasurer of the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, to pay salaries, &c., of the Free Public Library.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the report of Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, of the list of delinquent taxpayers in the City of Hoboken, report in favor of accepting the same, and direct the City Clerk to turn the said list over to the Collector of Revenue, with instructions to that officer to proceed to collect the same according to law.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $5,633.96, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, presidetn of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Fire Department for the last half month of February, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,724.31, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, president of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of March, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half of the month of February, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as Foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as Park Keeper.	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as Assistant Stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as Stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as City Gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as Park Keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half of the month of March, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as Foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as Park Keeper.	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as Assistant Stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as Stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as City Gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as Park Keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as Park Keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries in full for the month of February, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician	$83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney	150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue	125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue	100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month' ssalary as Janitor of City Hall	75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor	116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks	100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct	75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court	104 16
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as engineer of City Hall	75 00
Wm. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk	100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner	166 66
Charles Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper	60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk	116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Fred'k Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller	208 33
Michael Kiely, one month' ssalary as enginee rof City Hall	75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court	75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk	125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
P. J. Murray, one month' ssalry as Clerk to Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder	208 33
Thomas J. McAleer, one month's salary as City Prison Keeper	75 00
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner	125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector	125 00
John Schneider, one month' ssalary as Sluicegate Keeper	60 00

C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistant City Physician.....	83 33
Fred'k Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector	100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer.....	125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys.....	41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court...	24 00
Fred'k J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court.....	208 33

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilman Wren.

Councilman Buckley moved that the City Clerk notify the Hudson County Park Commissioners to meet with the Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, March 9, 1909, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing improvements to the St. George Cricket Grounds.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, March 10, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL SESSION.

Special session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday afternoon, March 15, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilmen Gonzales, McFeely and Wren.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, March 12, 1909.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—You will please call a special meeting of the Council for Monday, March 15, 1909, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of passing a resolution in relation to the School Bond issue.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the $100,000 School Bonds authorized by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred thousand dollars school bonds," passed February 10, 1909, and approved by the Mayor the same day, and the $10,500 school bonds authorized by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of ten thousand five hundred dollars school bonds," passed February 10, 1909, and approved by the Mayor the same day, be and they hereby are awarded to A. B. Leach & Company, of the City of New York, at their bid of $102.379 and accrued interest for each one hundred dollars par value thereof, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds when duly executed to A. B. Leach & Company on receipt of the amount of their bid therefor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Gonzales, McFeely and Wren.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES HAVRON,
Assistant City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, March 24, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley moved that the reading of the minutes of the stated sessions of the Council held on February 24 and March 10 and the special session held on March 15, 1909, be dispensed with and they be approved as printed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Invitation to attend the annual dance of the Hoboken Turn Verein, to be held at No. 508 Park avenue, on Saturday evening, March 27, 1909, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from the Hudson County Park Commission, as having failed to appear before the Committee of the Whole relative to the Hoboken Park, was presented, read and referre dto the Committee of the Whole.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, relative to the concrete floor of Engine House No. 6, as having sunk about two and a half inches, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, requesting the Council to obtain sufficient funds from the Tax Board to pay for a full plan and specification of an efficient sewerage system, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Communication from the Board of Education, requesting the Council to complete the laying of wooden pavement aroun dthe schools, which was begun last year, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from The Nienstadt Corporation, relative to the prevalence of the mosquito pest in this city, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Board of Tax Commissioners, requesting the Council to forward to them on or before April 1, 1909, the estimate of the amoun tof money necessary to conduct the city's departments for the ensuing year, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Honorable Andrew F. McBride, requesting the Council to urge the passage of Assembly bill No. 350, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

Communication from the Board of Education, requesting the Council to have the streets and sidewalks raised on both sides of Public School No. 5, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from H. E. Schneider and Philip Daab, relative to the premises known as No. 60 Hudson street, as being in a dangerous condition, was presented, read and referred to the Building Inspector in conjunction with the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Hoboken Cemetery Trustees, requesting the Council's aid in securing the passage of Assembly bill No. 233, relative to permit cities to purchase lands adjoining cemeteries owned by the city, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Legislature.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, requesting the Council to lay crosswalks on Fourteenth street, on the westerly side of Washington street, and a new bridge over gutter on the north side of Fifth and Court streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from Michael A. Dunn, Chief of the Hoboken Fire Department, relative to George F. Seymour as having served as a volunteer fireman, and is entitled to an exempt certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Playground Commissioners, relative to the purchase of lands, etc., for the erection of buildings for playground purposes, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on the Whole.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For wholesale liquor licenses: A. Podesta & Son, John Podesta, Kahn Bros., Antonio Borrone, Jacob Beck, David Beck, Jacob Ungar.

For retail liquor licenses: Louis Peterson, Carl I. Lorensen, George Casazza, Salvatore Mosca, Herman Joecks, Paul Mueller, Estate of C. F. Kaegebehn, Herman Wacker, Joseph Girone, Angelo Marotta, G. Cardinalli.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: M. Bott, Julius Hirsch, Peter Torra, Ernest D. Gerken, John Greenfield, Charles Pichetto, Louis Michelsen, Carl I. Lorensen, Wm. A. J. Riemann, Charles Lindgens, A. Jensen, John F. Keating.

For beer bottlers' licenses: Naegeli's Sons, John Schwinge.

For junk dealer's license: Ameillo Lanzetti, Tony Jardone, G. Gordano, P. Orlando, M. Laquardia.

For second-hand dealers' licenses: B. Pearlmann, A. Dorfman, H. Greenberg, G. Koskeker, S. Glaser.

For express licenses: Emil Le Fevre, New Jersey Transfer & Baggage Co. (2).

For porter's license: Louis Hafner.

For truck licenses: Henry Cordts, Emil Le Fevre.

For peddlers' licenses: United Yeast Co., Solomon Goldberg.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for January, 1909	$36 75
Steljes & Steljes, insurance on buildings at 128 Hudson street and 557 First street	111 00
Joseph H. Cummings, surveys and map of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, for the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	75 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Daniel Wallace, repairs at Armory	16 45
Frank Becht, attending clock in City Hall tower	10 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
Tietje & Christ, one dozen chairs for Second Precinct	51 00
Johnston Bros., repairing toilets and gas fixtures in Armory	18 87
Walter Mulford, ice furnished for the quarter ending December, 1908	78 12
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks at City Hall	10 00
Charles Jubitz, supplies furnished Police Headquarters	21 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Estate of Jacob Vanderbilt, supplies furnished Street Department	90 50
Charles Hvass & Co., nine dozen bass brooms furnished Street Department	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co., machine brooms refilled, etc	43 50
Mrs. James Brock, feed furnished Street Department	80 92
Pay roll, cleaning streets	202 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	201 75
Pap roll, cleaning streets	277 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from February 25 to March 25, 1909	791 66
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	11 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	333 00

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, repairing sewers	22 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	17 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	15 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	6 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	37 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	20 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
William Von der Lieth, repairs at sluicegate house	62 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, stationery furnished Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	95 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	49 25
The Observer, publishing minutes of March 10 and 15, 1909	12 50
The Observer, publishing notices of objections	13 75
The Observer, publishing minutes of February 24, 1909	100 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	98 25
The Democrat, publishing ordinances	91 00
Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing school bonds	188 50
The Evening Journal Association, publishing school bond ordinance	34 50
The Inquirer, publishing notice of objections	5 00

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners, etc	60 10
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and care of homeless	15 75
Wm. A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corpoartion, street lighting for February, 1909	2,280 26
Public Service Corporation, electric current supplies public buildings for February, 1909	367 14
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for February, 1909	60 00

To the Committee on Alms:

Herman Bruns, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	11 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
F. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	9 00

M. Burns, groceries furnished the poor	2 00
H. Reielt, groceries furnished the poor	14 00
Mrs. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
A. Begeman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
H. Schrader, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
F. J. Koop, groceries furnished the poor	22 00
P. Koch, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Bischoff Bros., groceries furnished the poor	33 00
A. Begermann, groceries furinshed the poor	9 00
Maloney Bros., groceries furnished the poor	20 50
C. Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	8 00
J. Noonan, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
Eckhoff Bros., groceries furnished the poor	36 00
J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
H. K. Mulford Co., antitoxin furnished Poor Department	14 00
Thomas J. McAleer, care of homeless	7 00
Chas. Hoffmann & Co., burial of poor	8 80
James McLaughlin, burial of poor	8 75
F. J. Mullally, supplies furnished Poormaster	59 35
F. J. Mullally, supplies furnished Poormaster	93 05

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lanws and Ordinances:

Eugene Smith, as City Surveyor.
Tony Jardono, as junk dealer.
Pasquale Orlando, as junk dealer.
Michael Laquardia, as junk dealer.
Guiseppe Giordano, as junk dealer.

Specifications for a building to be erected for a public comfort and storage house in connection with the Elysian Park improvements, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Specifications for the improvement of the easterly portion of Elysian Park wer epresented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,593.23, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of March, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,500, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half mont hof April, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $6,880.76, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of March, 1909, was presented, read and referrerd to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,724.31, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of April, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, March 10, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The Board of Assessors, in making the assessment of property for the year 1908, assessed the property of the North German Lloyd Dock Company, North German Lloyd, lessee, at the sum of $3,288,000, made up as follows, to wit: Assessment on land, $1,317,500; on buildings, $1,877,500; on chattels, $33,000. The North German Lloyd Company appealed therefrom to the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, and in said appeal asked that the assessment on land be placed at $980,000, on buildings at $1,300,000, on chattels $33,000, making in all $2,313,000. The aforesaid company appealed from the assessment of 1907 on the same property, and the State Board of Equalization of Taxes at that time assessed the property as follows: Land, $1,317,500; buildings, $1,661,000; chattels, $33,000. Total $3,011,500.

The said Board scheduled the hearing of appeal for Thursday, February 25, 1909, at 10 a. m., at the City Hall, Hoboken, and at the same time declared its determination to adhere to its assessment for the year 1907 upon said property, to wit: $3,011,500, unless the local assessors should be able to show that additional improvements were made to the property of said company since the determination made by the State Board for taxes of 1907, and consequently the State Board again assessed said property at the figures established

for 1907. The North German Lloyd Company thereupon paid to the Collector of Revenue the amount of taxes upon the assessment so fixed by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes.

In my communication of January 27, 1909, wherein I informed you of the action of the State Board of Equalization of Taxes in reducing the assessment made against the Hamburg-American Packet Company by the local assessors to the assessment determined by said State Board for the year 1907, I advised that you authorize me to employ engineers and the like as expert witnesses in behalf of the city to make examination of the property of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, so as to enable the city to offer testimony in regard thereto upon the hearing of the appeal presented by said company, but no authority having been given me in this respect, the city was unable to present to the State Board of Equalization of Taxes such a case as to warrent the confirmation by the State Board of the assessment made by our local assessors.

For many years past the several steamship companies and the Lackawanna Railroad Company have each year appealed from the assessment made against their respective properties by our local assessors, and on each occasion the assessment made by our local asesssors was considerably reduced by the State Board. In order that a definite ascertainment of the value of the river front properties and the structures erected thereon might be had for the guidance of our local assessors in making their annual assessments, I recommend and advise you to cause an appropriation of the sum of $5,000 to be made and set apart for the purpose of enabling the employment of expert engineers, through whom to ascertain the true value of all substructures and superstructures on the shore front lands owned by the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, Hamburg-American Packet Company, Holland-American Steamship Company, Hoboken Ferry Company, Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, and such other companies owning shore front properties ,which should include all piers, bulkhead buildings, ferry houses, depots, stations, terminals, etc. This work will undoubtedly take some time and at least two expert engineers should be employed by the city for this work. Comparisons with like modern structures would probably have to be made. I am convinced that the money so expended would bring beneficial results to the city of Hoboken, and our taxpayers would be materially benefited thereby.

I trust that your Honorable Body will give this matter your careful consideration.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and received:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, March 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—As per request of His Honor Mayor Steil, I prepared and have had introduced in the Legislature a bill authorizing the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $35,000 to enable the further extension of the water mains in our city.

I also prepared and had introduced a bill authorizing the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $50,000 for the purchase of the land and the erection of a building thereon, together with the equipment thereof, for five department purposes.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following report from the Overseer of the Poor was presented, read and ordered on file:

Hoboken, March 1, 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen—In compliance with your request I beg to submit for your consideration the report of the department of the Overseer of the Poor for the month of February, 1909, as follows:

Application of new cases are.....	300
Classified as follows:	
Widows	33
Couples with the bread-earner living..	66
Widowers	9
Male, single	6
Female, single	1
Of which 26 cases were for non-support and desertion.	
Disposition:	
No action taken due to the whereabouts of the husband being unknown	5
Summons issued and adjusted.....	8
Summons issued and unable to adjust..	9
Warrants issued	9
Referred	1
Committed to County Jail.....	1
Placed on probation with the Overseer of the Poor.....	2

The following relief was granted for groceries, etc., that included old cases carried over from January, 1909, as follows:

134 orders, amounting to.....	$399 00
3 orders, burial of poor.....	34 25
2 orders, board and care.....	7 00
1 order, bread tickets.....	10 00
15 orders for hospital treatment, including old cases	450 00

5 orders for commitment to Almshouse ....
1 orde rfor transportation..... 1 50
For medical treatment at the office, 184 cases.

Causes were as follows:

Sickness	40
Old age	18
Non-support	19
Blind	2
Lack of work.....	72
Insanity	1
Homeless	2

Of the new cases there were 188 children of school age effected.

18 letters for employment given.

I am very truly yours,

HARRY L. BARCK, JR.,
Overseer of the Poor.

The following report from Collector of Revenue Bowes was presented, read and received:

Office Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, March 10, 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year commencing 4 p. m. November 2, 1908, and ending 12 m. January 30, 1909:

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of taxes:		
Arrears of taxes of 1904, principal and interest		$663 07
Arrerars of taxes of 1905, principal and interest		812 78
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest		939 07
Arrerars of taxes of 1907, principal and interest		5,732 53
		$8,147 45
Annual tax:		
Annual tax of 1908, principal.....		715,893 32
Franchise tax:		
Franchise tax of 1907, principal...		16,842 56
Assessments:		
Madison street paving, etc., between Fifth and Eighth streets, principal and interest	$265 94	
Adams street paving, etc., between Sixth and Eighth streets, principal and interest	648 13	
		914 07
		$741,797 40

RECAPITULATION.

Total arrears of taxes.....	$8,147 45
Total annual taxes.....	715,893 32
Total franchise taxes.....	16,842 56
Total assessments	914 07
	$741,797 40
Paid City Treasurer James Smith..	$741,797 40

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of February, 1909 was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin, on the collectio nof street opening fees for the month of February, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin, on the collection of street opening fees for the month of February, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The following claims were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Evening Journal, publishing ordinances	$34 50
The Inquirer, publishing ordinances....	163 50

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Charles Hvass & Co., three machine brooms refilled	$40 50
George W. Smith, veterinary services render to Street Department.....	25 50
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished to Street Department	13 40
Estate of Jacob Vanderbilt, supplies furnished Street Department.....	90 50
Joseph H. Cummings, surveys and map of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, for the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes.....	75 00
Charles Hvass & Co., nine dozen bass brooms furnished Street Department..	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co., machine brooms refilled, etc	43 50
Mrs. James Brock, feed furnished Street Department	80 92
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	202 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	201 75
Pap roll, cleaning streets.....	277 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from February 25 to March 25, 1909	791 66
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	11 50

Pay roll, cleaning streets	333 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	22 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	17 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	15 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	6 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	37 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	20 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
The Democrat, publishing ordinances	91 00
Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing school bonds	188 50
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners, etc	60 10
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and care of homeless	15 75
Herman Bruns, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	11 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
F. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
M. Burns, groceries furnished the poor	2 00
H. Reielt, groceries furnished the poor	14 00
Mrs. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
A. Begeman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
H. Schrader, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
F. J. Koop, groceries furnished the poor	22 00
P. Koch, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Bischoff Bros., groceries furnished the poor	33 00
A. Begermann, groceries furinshed the poor	9 00
Maloney Bros., groceries furnished the poor	20 50
C. Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	8 00
J. Noonan, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
Eckhoff Bros., groceries furnished the poor	36 00
J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
H. K. Mulford Co., antitoxin furnished Poor Department	14 00
Thomas J. McAleer, care of homeless	7 00
F. J. Mullally, supplies furnished Poormaster	59 35
F. J. Mullally, supplies furnished Poormaster	93 05

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Alms, to whom were referred the following claims, reported the same correct:

Chas. Hoffmann & Co., burial of poor	8 75
James McLaughlin, burial of poor	8 75

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Printing and Stationery, to whom were referred the following claims, reported the same correct:

The Observer, publishing minutes of February 24, 1909	100 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of March 10 and 15, 1909	12 50
The Observer, publishing notices of objections	12 75
The Observer, stationery furnished Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	95 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	49 25
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	98 25

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

Wm. A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

William Von der Lieth, repairs at sluicegate house $62 00

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,593.23, to pay salaries, etc., of the police Department for the last half month of March, 1909, reported the same correct.

O nmotion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,500, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of April, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $6,880.76, to pay salaries, etc., for the last half month of March, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,724.31, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of April, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, for the sum of $965.65, in favor of themselves, for services as engineers on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteent hstreets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, for the sum of $70.01 each, in favor of James Harksen, C. F. Guth and John J. Winberry, as Commissioners of Assessments on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the communication from Michael A. Dunn, Chief of the Hoboken Fire Department, relative to George F. Seymour, as being entitled to an exempt certificate, reported in favor of granting the same.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Gonzales presented the following:

Whereas, The Public Service Corporation, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, has been furnishing gas and electricity to the citizens and consumers of the City of Hoboken, and that hte contract or agreement made between the City of Hoboken and the Public Service Corporation is about to expire on the first day of June, and the citizens have been dissatisfied with the cost and service of both electricity and gas in the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, A corporation has signified its willingness to take the plant and furnish gas and electricity for the citizens of the city at a reduced rate,

Be it resolved, That a public hearing be had and that the citizens be notified by a publication in the newspapers of a meeting for the purpose of ascertaining the feeling of the people toward allowing or giving a corporation other than the Public Service Corporation the franchise to supply the citizens of Hoboken with gas and electricity.

Said meeting to be held Monday, April 5, 1909, at 8 p. m.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the resolution was referred to the Committee of the Whole, to decide a time and date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, March 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Whereas, The Commissioners of Assessments have filed their map and report for the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets; and

Whereas, The Council have caused the proper notice to be advertised that objections thereto would be received; and

Whereas, At the time specified there were no objections received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the assessment map and report of the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, be and the same are hereby confirmed, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to turn the same over to the Collector of Revenue with instructions to that officer to proceed to collect the same according to law.

THOMAS J. WREN,
R. BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren and Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for nine hundred and sixty-five dollars and sixty-five cents ($965.65), in favor of Tivy & Smith, engineers on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, as per certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, presented February 24, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren and Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for seventy dollars and one cent ($70.01) each, in favor of James Harksen, C. F. Guth and John J. Winberry, Commissioners of Assessments on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, as per certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, presented February 24, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,593.23, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the police force for the last half month of March, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,500' in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the police force for the first half month of April, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presetned the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $6,880.76, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of March, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,724.31, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire De-

partment for the first half month of April, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to direct the Chief of Police to make investigation as to the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors within this city without license; and be it further

Resolved, That said Board of Police Commissioners be requested to direct the Chief of Police to ascertain the names of all places wherein spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors are sold within this city, and the name of the person or persons who conduct such places, whether with or without licenses, and in the event of th esaid Chief of Police ascertaining that any person or persons are engaged in the business of dealing in spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors, wholesale or retail, without license, such person or persons be prosecuted therefor, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, and pursuant also to the ordinances of the city relating thereto; and be it further

Resolved, That the said Board of Police Commissioners be requested to report to the Common Council, on or before the fourteenth day of April, nineteen hundred and nine, as to the action taken by said Board and the Chief of Police in regard to the aforesaid matter, and submit to the Common Council a detailed statement of the names and addresses of all persons engaged in the sale of spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors within this city, specifying those who are engaged in the wholesale business and retail business.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the sum of fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500) received from the New York and New Jersey Amusement Company, Gayety Theatre Company, A. M. Bruggemann, H. P. Soulier and Michael Catello, for theatre license fees, for the fiscal year 1908-1909, be paid over by the City Treasurer to the Treasurer of the Paid Firemen's Pension Fund of Hoboken, N. J., pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the payment to the Paid Firemen's Pension Fund of Hoboken, N. J., of license fees collected from the owners or lessees of theatres," approved September 25, 1907.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for the building of a public comfort and storage house in Elysian Park, and also for the grading, etc., in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of ten dollars ($10) for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half of the month of March, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as Foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as Park Keeper.	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as Assistant Park Keeper	30 00

John Murdock, salary as Assistant Stableman 25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver..... 30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver... 30 00
George McGuire, salary as Stableman 30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
William Reilly, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
Michael Shields, salary as City Gardener 30 00
John Sullivan, salary as Park Keeper.. 37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as Park Keeper.. 37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as Park Keeper.. 37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half of the month of April, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as Assistant Park Keeper $30 00
Charles Costello, salary as Foreman on Streets 32 50
James Carroll, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper 30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as Park Keeper. 37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as Assistant Park Keeper 30 00
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Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries in full to April 1, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician $83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney..... 150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue 125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue 100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month' ssalary as Janitor of City Hall..... 75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor..... 116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks..... 100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct..... 75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 104 16
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as engineer of City Hall..... 75 00
Wm. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk..... 100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner..... 166 66
Charles Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper..... 60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk..... 116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Fred'k Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller 208 33
Michael Kiely, one month' ssalary as enginee rof City Hall..... 75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 75 00

James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk	125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
P. J. Murray, one month' ssalry as Clerk to Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder	208 33
Thomas J. McAleer, one month's salary as City Prison Keeper	75 00
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner	125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector	125 00
John Schneider, one month' ssalary as Sluicegate Keeper	60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistant City Physician	83 33
Fred'k Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector	100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer	125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys	41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court	27 00
Fred'k J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court	208 33
Diedrich Bahrenburg, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Richard Buckley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Richard Bowes, one quarter's salary as Collector of Revenue	625 00
Peter F. Clark, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Gustav Friedrichs, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
John J. Fallon, one quarter's salary as Corporation Attorney	625 00
Thomas J. Foley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
George Gonzales, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Bernard N. McFeely, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
George H. Steil, one quarter's salary as Mayor	500 00
James Smith, one quarter's salary as City Treasurer	625 00
Thomas J. Wren, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Martin J. Whelan, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Charles Zang, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley moved that when the Board adjourns, it adjourn to meet on Monday, March 29, 1909, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday evening, March 29, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

The following gentlemen appeared before the Council and spoke in favor of adopting a new sewer system in the lower part of the city:

Mr. E. H. Horwood, President of the Hoboken Board of Trade; ex-Mayor Lankering, Mr. L. S. Fugazzi and Mr. Oscar Frommel.

Councilman Buckley moved that the Committee on Sewers, in conjunction with the Committee on Sewers of the Board of Trade, appear before the Board of Tax Commissioners and ask for an appropriation to employ an expert engineer for the proposed new sewer system in this city.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

The following report of the Board of Playground Commissioners was presented and read:

To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State, and for the maintenance, control and management thereof," approved May 7, 1907, and the supplements and amendments thereto, the Board of Playground Commissioners of the City of Hoboken have, as hereinafter stated, and as appears by the surveys or maps hereto annexed, selected in different parts and sections of the City of Hoboken, lands for public playgrounds and recreation places, of such sizes and dimensions as they think suitable, regard being had to the population of the neighborhood, and have caused surveys and maps to be made thereof, together with a careful estimate as nearly accurate as may be, of the probable cost of acquiring such lands as it is proposed to purchase or condemn, and a statement of the annual rental and duration of term of such lands as it is proposed to lease, together with an estimate of the cost of preparing said lands and suitably equippping the same by the erection of buildings, stands, seats and other structures and apparatus for playgrounds and recreation places, as follows:

1. The survey or map hereto annexed and marked Schedule "A," is a plot of ground situate on the easterly side of Jefferson street, between First and Second streets, in the City of Hoboken, being about 175 feet wide in front and rear and about 100 feet deep throughout. It is proposed by this Board that said tract of land be purchased by the city, and in the event of the city being uanble to purchase the same at a reasonable price, that the same be condemned for public use as a playground and recreation place.

The following is an estimate of the cost of preparing said lands and of suitably equipping the same by the erection of buildings, stands, seats and other structures and apparatus for playground and recreation purposes:

Land	$25,000
Building and furnishing same	17,000
Apparatus and equipment	3,000
Grading, filling, flagging and fencing	3,500
Total	$48,500

2. The survey or map hereto annexed and marked Schedule "B" shows a plot of ground on the easterly side of Hudson street, north of Tenth street, which it is proposed that the city should lease at an annual rent of one dollar a year, for the term of one, two or three years, subject, however, to be terminated and ended upon thirty days notice in writing.

The following is an estimate of the cost of preparing said lands and of suitably equipping the same, by the erection of buildings, stands, seats and other structures and apparatus for playground and recreation purposes:

Grading, filling, etc	$250
Apparatus, equipment, fence, etc	500
Total	$750

3. The survey or map hereto annexed and marked Schedule "C" shows a plot of ground situate on the westerly side of Park avenue, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, and is about 168 feet wide in front and rear and about 80 feet deep throughout, which it is proposed that the city should lease at an annual rental of one dollar a year, for the term of one, two or three years, subject, however, to be terminated and ended upon thirty days notice in writing.

The following is an estimate of the cost of preparing said lands and of suitably equipping the same, by the erection of buildings, stands, seats and other structures and apparatus for playground and recreation purposes:

Grading, filling, etc.	$250
Apparatus, equipment, fence, etc.	500
Total	$750

We therefore request your honorable body to make an appropriation of $50,000 for the purpose of acquiring by purchase or condemnation and leasing the lands aforesaid and preparing and suitably equipping the same.

Dated March 29, 1909.

A. J. DEMAREST,
JULIUS LICHTENSTEIN.
Board of Playground Commissioners of Hoboken, N. J.

Sketch made for the
Board of Play Ground Commissioners.
of Hoboken. N.J
1909

Scale 1in = 50ft

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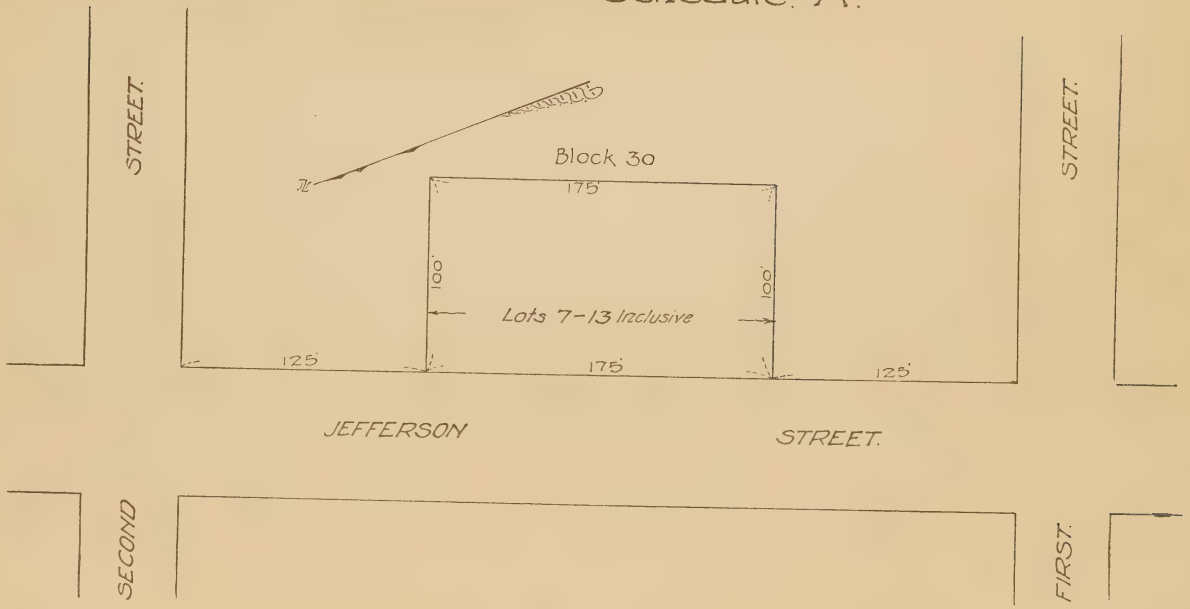
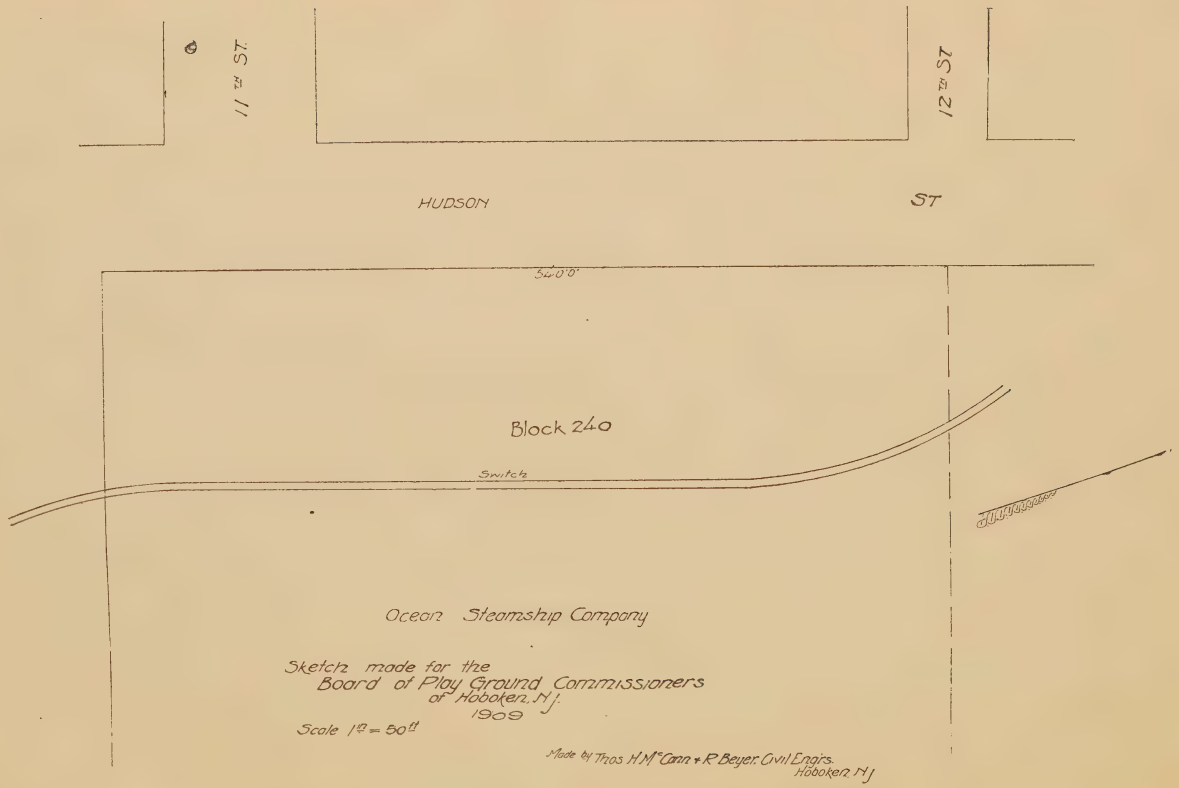
Schedule. A.

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Schedule B

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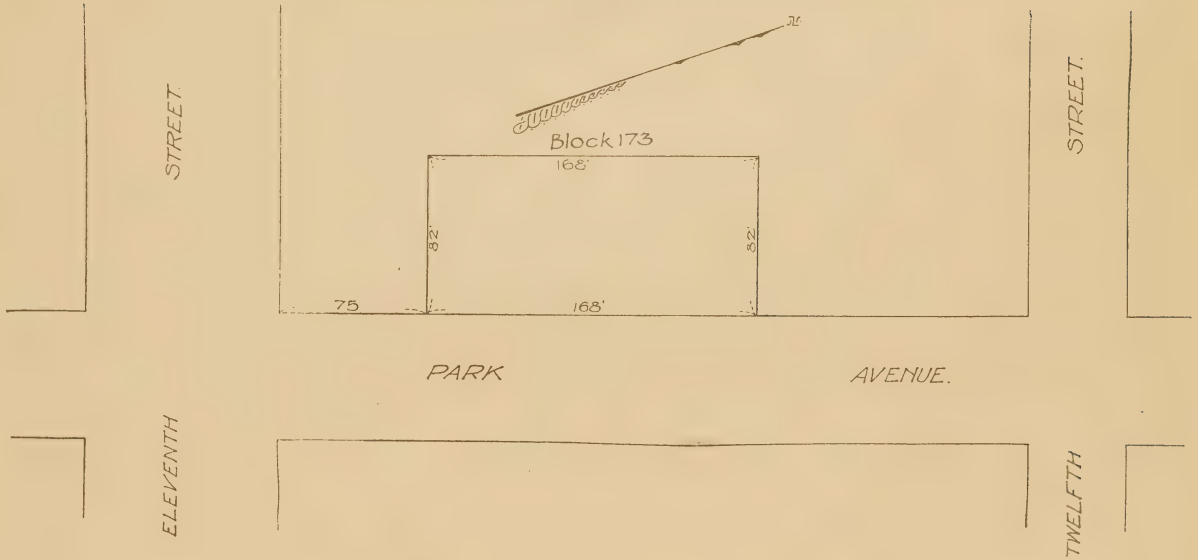
Schedule C.



On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and referred to the Committee of the Whole, and the Clerk directed to return the report of the Commissioners, which was presented to the Council held March 24, 1909.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For wholesale liquor licenses: Angelo Podesta & Son, Antonio Borrone, Kahn Bros., John Podesta, Jacob Beck, David Beck, Jacob Ungar.

For retail liquor licenses: Angelo Sica, August Jefsen, Francesco Romano, Egert Bros., Pietro Lensi, Louis Peterson, Giuseppi Cardinalli, Angelo Marotta, Joseph Girone, Herman Wacker, Paul Mueller, George Casazza, Salvatore Mosca, Herman Joecks, Carl I. Lorenzen.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Nicholas Palihnich, Frank Chirichella, A. Jensen, Wm. A. J. Riemann, Ernst D. Gercken, M. Bott.

For peddlers' licenses: United Yeast Co., William Beckmann, Gately & Fitzgerald, John Mullen, Jacob Azzerrad.

For junk dealers' licenses: Aniello Lanzetti, Tony Jardone, Giuseppe Gordano, Pasquale Orlando, Michele Laquardia.

For truck licenses: A. Beonis Co., Henry Cordts, Emil Le Fevre.

For express licenses: N. J. Transfer Co. (2), Emil Le Fevre.

For porter's license: Louis Hafner.

For musician's license: Peter Bogi.

For beer bottler's licenses: Naegeli's Sons, John Schwinge.

For second hand licenses: Abraham Dorfman, Benjamin Pearlman, Harris Greenberg, G. Koskeker, S. Glaser.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: John F. Keating, Charles Lindgens, Carl I. Lorenzen, Louis Michielsen, John Greenfield, Julius Hirsch, Peter Torra, Charles Pichetto.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

The following report of the Committee of the Whole was presented and read:

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—The Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred the reports of the Board of Playground Commissioners, their selection of lands for playground purposes, maps and surveys and estimates of probable cost, etc., respectfully report that we have carefully considered the subject matter of said reports, communications, maps, surveys and estimates, and that we are of the opinion that it would be to the best interest of the City of Hoboken to approve said reports and to provide said playgrounds, and we therefore recommend the acquisition of the lands mentioned in said report to be purchased, and the leasing of the lands therein recommended to be leased, and the equipping thereof for playground purposes, and to proivde for the sum or sums of money necessary therefor Playground Bonds to the amount of fifty thousand dollars be issued in accordance with the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof," approved May 7th, 1907, and the supplements and amendments thereto.

MARTIN J. WHELAN,
Chairman.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
Clerk.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the acquisition by purchase or condemnation of the land selected by the Board of Playground Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, viz.: the plot situated on the easterly side of Jefferson street between First and Second streets, in the City of Hoboken, being one hundred and seventy-five feet wide

in front and rear by one hundred feet deep throughout, and more particularly described on the survey or map marked "Schedule A," and annexed to the report of the Board of Playground Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, dated March 29th, 1909, for the purpose of a public playground and recreation place, be and the same is hereby authorized; and be it further

Resolved, That the sum of forty-eight thousand five hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purchase or condemnation of said land for said purpose and the equipment thereof; and be it further

Resolved, That the leasing of the grounds selected to be leased by said Board of Playground Commissionres, viz: the plot of ground on the easterly side of Hudson street north of Tenth street, in said city, and more particularly described on the survey and map marked "Schedule B," and annexed to the report of said Board of Playground Commissioners, dated March 29th, 1909, and the plot of ground situate on the westerly side of Park avenue between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, in said city, being about one hundred and sixty-eight feet wide in front and rear by about eighty feet deep throughout, and more particularly described on the survey or map marked "Schedule C," and annexed to the aforesaid report of said Board of Playground Commissioners, for the rentals and terms set forth in said report, be and the same is hereby authorized, and that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the equipment of said lands so authorized to be leased as aforesaid; and be it further

Resolved, That said sum of fifty thousand dolllars above appropriated be raised by an issue of permanent bonds to run for thirty years, to bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, to be sold at not less than their par value; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise according to law for the purchase of fifty thousand dollars "Playground Bonds," to run thirty years from the date of issue, and to bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be issued under and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of public playgrounds in cities of this State and for the maintenance, control and management thereof," approved May 7th, 1907, and the supplements and amendments thereto.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of fifty thousand dollars playground bonds.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wre nthen moved that the ordinance pas sits first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

Councilmen Wren, McFeely and Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the lighting of the streets, roads and public places in the City of Hoboken, in accordance with the specifications to be prepared by the Committee on Lamps and Gas; and be it further

Resolved, That the Committee on Lamps and Gas, in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney, prepare said specifications for the lighting of the streets and public places in the City of Hoboken.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Clark.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, April 14, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Clark. Foley, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, April 28, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council, held on March 24, 1909, and the adjourned session, held on March 29, 1909, and the stated session, held on April 14, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The fololwing proposals for the $50,000 playground bonds were presented and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

From H. L. Crawford & Co.:

For the $50,000 4% semi-annual thirty-year playground bonus of the City of Hoboken, N. J., we will pay the sum of 102.288 102.377 and accrued interest to date of delivery.

From Rhoades & Co.:

Referring to your advertisement for sale of $50,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., thirty-year 4% playground bonds, interest payable semi-annually, for all or none of these $50,000 bonds, in coupon form, we will pay you 102.863 and accrued interest to date of delivery.

From R. M. Grant & Co.:

We will pay 100.78 and accrued interest for $50,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., playground 4s.

From N. W. Halsey & Co.:

For the $50,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., four per cent playground bonds we will pay 102.377 and accrued interes tto date of delivery.

From A. B. Leach & Co.:

For the $50,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., thirty-year playground 4% bonds, we will pay 102.179 and accrued interest.

From W. N. Coler & Co.:

For $50,000 playground bonds of the City of Hoboken, N. J., we will pay par and accrued interest to date of delivery, and in addition a premium of $335.

From John D. Everitt & Co.:

For the $50.000 4% thirty-year playground bonds of the City of Hoboken, N. J., we will pay 101.17 and accrued interest from date of bonds to day of delivery.

From Howard K. Stokes:

I will pay 101.613 and accrued interest for each one hundred dollars of the $50,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., 4% thirty-year playground bonds.

From O'Connor & Kahler:

For the fifty thousand dollars City of Hoboken, N. J., 4% playground bonds we will pay 101.877 and accrued interest to date of delivery.

From Kountze Brothers:

For $50,000 City of Hoboken 4% bonds we will pay 102.15 and accrued interest to date of delivery.

From Blodget, Merritt & Co.:

For the $50,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., playground thirty-year 4s, we beg to submit a bid of 101.089 and accrued interest.

The following proposals for the improvement of Elysian Square Park were presetned, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

From Gorie Whelan:

For the sum of four cents per square foot I will contract to lay sod at park Eleventh and Hudson streets, for the following price or prices, or approximately two thousand square feet, for the sum of $80.

From the Fagan Iron Works:

We will contract to furnish and erect an iron railing for the following price or prices: $2.85 per lineal foot, at Elysian Square Park.

From the Hoboken Iron Works:

We will contract to furnish and erect an iron fence for the following price or prices: $3.25 per lineal foot.

From the Commonwealth Roofing Co.:

We will contract to lay concrete walks, curbs and construct receiving bains with iron covers, for the following price or prices: Concrete silewalks, 15c. per square foot; concrete curbs, 15c. per lineal foot; receiving basins and covers, $7.50 each.

The following proposals for electric and gas lights were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

From the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey:

For furnishing electric arc lights for lighting the City of Hoboken:

We wil lcontract to furnish 275 or more electric arc lights for the following price or prices:

For establishing, maintaining, lighting and extinguishing each lamp for the term of one year, ending June 14, 1910, $100.

For establishing, maintaining, lighting and extinguishing each lamp for the term of three years, ending June 14, 1912, $90 per year.

For establishing, maintaining, lighting and extinguishing each lamp for the term of five years, ending June 14, 1914, $80 per year.

From the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company:

Hoboken, April 29, 1909.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

The petition of Cititzens' Light, Heat and Power Company, respectfully shows:

1. That it is a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)" and the several supplements thereto and acts amendatory thereof, for the purpose among other things, of constructing, maintaining and operating works for the supply and distribution of electricity for electric lights, heat or power.

2. That your petitioner hereby requests your Honorable Body, to grant it permission to open up and use any and all the streets, avenues, parks, parkways, highways and other public places in the City of Hoboken, Hudson County, New Jersey, for the purpose of laying below the surface thereof pipes or conduits, and to string or lay wires and conductors therein as it may deem necessary, and to make and maintain openings and connections with such pipes or conduits on the surface of any such streets, avenues, parks, parkways, highways, and other public places, and to open up, repair, alter, add to or change said pipes or conduits and the wires and conductors therein, and the openings and connections of the same, from time to time as it may deem necessary, for the purpose of supplying the City of Hoboken, and any and all others who apply to it, with electric current for light, heat and power.

3. That it also hereby petitions your Honorable Body, for permission to erect posts or poles beneath and on any and all the streets, avenues, parks, parkways, highways, and othe public places, and to string, sustain and run all necessary wires and fixtures thereon below and above the surface thereof, and to repair, alter, add to or change sa posts or poles, and the wires and fixtures, from time to time as may be deemed necessary, for the purpose of supplying the City of Hoboken, and any and all others who apply to it, with electric current for light, heat and power, and that Yoru Honorable Body designate the manner of placing said posts and poles.

4. The period for which said permission is requested is the term of twenty years from the date of the passage of an ordinance granting the same.

5. In the event of the prayer of this petition being granted and the City of Hoboken entering into a contract, under the terms herein mentioned, with this Company, for all the municipal lighting during the term for which permission is requested herein, your petitioner hereby agrees as follows:

(a) In all things to comply with the laws of this State in reference to the erection of poles and the laying of conduits; and to properly and carefully replace all streets opened up for that purpose, so that such streets, after the work is done, shall remain in the same condition in which they were before work was begun.

(b) To lay all pipes or conduits at least two feet below the surface of all streets, and that such pipes and conduits shall not in anywise necessarily obstruct or interfere with public travel or damage private property, and that they shall not be laid nearer than three feet to any water or gas main, except in case where it shall be necessary that said pipes or conduits shall cross or intersect any such water or gas pipes, and that such use of said public streets shall be subject to such regulations as may be first imposed by the corporate authorities of said City of Hoboken.

(c) To furnish all the arc lights of the City of Hoboken, according to the specifications on file with the City Clerk of the City of Hoboken, at the present time, at the rate of seventy dollars per lamp, per annum.

(d) To furnish all of its customers in the City of Hoboken with electric light, heat and power at the maximum rate of eight cents per kilowat hour, and to allow a special discount of five per cent on all bills paid within five days or presentation.

(e) To permit the City of Hoboken to use the conduit system of the Company for the purpose of placing its police and fire signal or telephone wires therein, without any charge or rental therefor.

(f) To permit the City of Hoboken to appoint a public accountant to examine all the books of the Company at the end of each and every fiscal year.

(g) In the event of the City of Hoboken constructing a new sewerage and pumping system station to supply the City with all the power that may be necessary to operate the same, which power shall be furnished by the company to the City, at cost.

(h) That the City of Hoboken shall have the right at any time before the expiration of the franchise to be granted to the Company as aforesaid, and any future franchise that may be granted it, to purchase the entire plant, conduit, system, wires and other equipment contemplated to be constructed by

the company, upon the payment to it of a sum equal to the par value of all of its stock, issued and outstanding, together with eight per cent. thereon from the date of original issue thereof, less any and all sums paid on such stock in dividends or otherwise, and by assuming and agreeing to pay all its liabilities and obligations of every description.

(i) To agree to at all times reserve a proper amount out of its net profits to keep and maintain the plant of the company in a good and proper condition of repair.

(j) In the burning of fuel, to use such modern appliances as is advisable to prevent as far as possible, the creation of a smoke nuisance.

(k) This proposal is accompanied with a cashier's check for $5,000, and is to be returned to the petitioner in the event of your Honorable Body failing or refusing to grant the permissions herein requested and entering into a contract with it, as aforesaid.

(l) That it will have its plant in operation within one year from the passage of all ordinances necessary to carry the prayer hereof into effect and the City shall have entered into a contract with it for its municipal lighting, as aforesaid, for and during the term for which permission is granted as herein prayed for; if however, any ordinances granting rights to this company, or any contract entered into by it with the city shall be questioned in any court, or the company shall be prevented or deem it necessary to refrain from proceeding with this work by reason of any suit or suits that may be brought by or against it, then within one year after such suit shall be finally determined in its favor.

Your petitioner therefore prays your Honorable Body to grant it your consent, as aforesaid, for the period aforesaid, according to the provisions of the laws of this state in such case made and provided.

In Witness Whereof, the seal of the said Company has been hereto affixed and duly attested by the Secretary thereof, this twenty-eighth day of April, Nineteen Hundred and Nine.

Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company.

ANTHONY J. VOLK,
President.

HENRY LOHMANN, JR.,
Secretary.

Petition from the First Street Improvement Association, relative to illuminating First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Communication from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, requesting the Council to grant them a franchise to erect poles and lay conduits, etc., for electric lighting, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Counselor Julius Lichtenstein appeared before the Council and spoke in behalf of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company.

Mr. P. S. Young appeared before the Council and spoke in behalf of the Public Service Corporation.

Communication from the Edward G. Brown Post, No. 44, G. A. R., requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from General Arthur McArthur Camp, No. 9, Spanish War Veterans, requesting the Council to furnish them with a meeting room, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from L. C. Schach, requesting an exempt fireman's certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from J. S. Weinthal, requesting an exempt fireman's certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from Gottfried Krueger, requesting a refund of license money on No. 601 Adams street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Communication from the Joint Memorial Committee, inviting the Mayor and Council to review the Memorail Day parade, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from the Scoville Engineering Company, relative to expert engineering advice, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Active Boat Club, relative to a certain article which recently appeared in a certain Jersey City newspaper, was not authorized by them, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners, requesting the Council to turn over to them the building on the south side of First street, between Madison and Monroe streets, for the use of the Fire Department, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Summons and declaration, The Hoboken Printing and Publishing Company, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, defendants, returnable May 7, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: John G. Wisloh, C. Carlsen, Angelo Nobile, Otto E. Stroeh, John F. Zatta, Salvatore Natale, William Kroger, Steve Foretich, Joseph F. Quirolo, Dennis McDermott, John Budee, Henry Steffens, John G. Wisloh, Otto Hauser, Mattec Jugovich, Oscar Weigelt, John Clark, Antonio Cuozzo, Chris. Bobbe, Julius Petzel, Aristodemo Bellavigna, August Grap, Thomas J. Wren, C. J. Tahen, William E. Carroll, Henry Franz, Fred Hauser, Henry Ritter, William Smith.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Geo. W. Lebers, Domenico Racioppi, Henry Bunker, Ernst Weidel, Charles Capelli, Peter Januchowski, Anthony Bruno, Estate of Michael McNamara, Marin Marinovich, Wm. A. Riesel.

For truck licenses: F. W. Reeves, Louis H. Belloff.

For second-hand dealer' slicense: Joseph Wolowitz.

For express license: Salvatore Attanasio.

For auctioneer's license: S. T. Fairbanks.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for February, 1909..	$39 15
Thos. B. Usher, services and disbursements in matter of investigating assessments	670 00
Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, city's share on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets.....	7,019 57
Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, city's share on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets.....	470 00
Carey Bros., insurance on Free Public Library building.....	108 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Samuel Becker, glass furnished Armory	10 00
West Disinfectant Co., ten gallons cologne soap	22 50
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished City Hall	16 05
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Prison Keeper.....	31 00
J. M. Patterson, repairing flag.....	2 75
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished ambulance	14 50
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, attending clocks at City Hall	10 00
W. D. Bindewald, two barrels noughdust	16 00
Charles Weber, repairing map.....	2 50
Alex. T. McCabe, electrical repairs at City Hall	41 65
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished Public Grounds and Buildings....	49 49
James Maloney, supplies furnished City Hall	1 10
James McFeely, carting away bath bridge	19 00
Charles F. Jubitz, supplies furnished Police Headquarters	9 00
Wm. R. Wilson, plumbing work at City Hall	6 25
W. D. Bindewald, two barrels noughdust	16 00
Wm. A. Barrett, washing towels....	6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	54 00
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished City Hal land Second Precinct....	14 05
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished at parks	21 60
O. K. Electric Equipment Co., electrical repairs at City Hall.....	13 50

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	21 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from March 25 to April 25, 1909.....	791 66
Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for quarter ending April, 1909	150 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	336 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	397 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	344 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	225 50

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	16 30
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	93 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	37 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	83 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	37 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	30 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	45 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	102 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	94 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	104 00
W. H. Stewart, supplies furnished Sewer Department	34 00
A. J. Greenberg, one pair of rubber boots	5 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	10 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings ond covers	35 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	10 25
Mrs. James Brock, feed furnished city stables	22 29
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	6 15

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, publishing proposals..	101 75
The Observer, publishing minutes of April 14, 1909.....	4 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	44 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of March 24 and 29, 1909.....	282 00
The Observer, supplies furnihsed city offices	66 55
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	62 25
The Inquirer, publishing proposals..	29 50
The Rockwell Printing Co., stationery furnished Mayor's office.....	23 30
William B. Dana Co., advertising playground bonds	27 00
The Democrat, stationery furnished Inspector of Weights and Measures	24 25
The Democrat, stationery furnished License Inspector	17 75
The Democrat, publishing notice of objections	6 00

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corporation, street lighting, etc., for March, 1909....	2,298 04
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for March, 1909.....	37 30
Public Service Corporation, electric current supplied public buildings for March, 1909.....	369 30

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	61 50
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	35 25
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and caring for lost children.	19 00
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M.....	15 00

To the Committee on Alms:

J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Mrs. H. Rech, groceries furnished the poor	17 00
C. Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
I. Learner, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
F. Schwanewede, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	75 00
E. Neibuhr, groceries furnished the poor	16 00
Wm. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	30 00
M. Goldman, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
W. DeGround, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
James Maloney, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
Herman Bruns, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor.....	18 00
M. Bodem, bread tickets furnished the poor	10 00
Edward Miller, bread tickets furnished the poor.....	10 00
George Crucio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 00
Emil Le Fevre, moving homeless....	10 00
Fred Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
August Wilckens, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
C. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	35 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	45 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	51 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
A. Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	55 00
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
M. Tannebaum, groceries furnished the poor	32 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor	26 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	21 88
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless and lost children.....	17 50
Joseph Kostelecky, rubber tires for ambulance	23 00

A communication was received from Councilman Gonzales, as a member of the Committee on Fire and Water, which was read and on motion of Councilman Buckley, referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

The following communication was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to notify your Honorable Body that I have been served by the Clerk of the District Court wit a certified copy of an act of the Legislature, known as Chapter No. 139 of the Laws of 1909, approved April 17, 1909.

This act increases the salary of the Judge of the District Court in Hoboken from $2,500 per annum to $3,000 per annum; also the Clerk of said Court from $1,250 per annum to $1,500 per annum.

Respectfully,
JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., April 28, 1909.

To the Honorable, The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—Your attention has doubtless been attracted to the controversy which recently arose between Mr. Edward Russ, President of the Board of Education, of the City of Hoboken, and myself as the Corporation Attorney of the City, with reference to the expenditure by said Board of Education of moneys in payment of legal services rendered to said board. I nave insisted and do still insist that the proper legal adviser and representative of the Board of Education is and should be the Corporation Attorney, who should serve without extra compensation. I am not aware of the purpose which has actuated the Board of Education in needlessly paying public moneys for legal services rendered to said board, and I take this occasion to suggest to your Honorable Body, in the interests of the City, that when the Board of School Estimate shall meet to determine the amount of moneys to be appropriated for the conduct and maintenance of the public schools and the Board of Education for the ensuing year, that the said Board of School Estimate should not permit any appropriation to be made for legal services. The Board of School Estimate, as you are aware, is made up of two members of the Common Council, and two members of the Board of Education, who, together with the Mayor of the City, constitute said board.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., April 28, 1909.

To the Honorable, The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to call your attention to a number of appeals which are to be heard by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, on Thursday, May 6, next, at the City Hall, this City, among which are the appeals of Ferdinand Eichner, Estate of Robert L. Stevens, Delta Tau Delta Society, Edwin A. Stevens, Richard Stevens, Stevens Institute of Technology, Jefferson Trust Company, Prudential Insurance Company, A. Philip Hexamer and the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company.

If the assessment as made by our Local Assessors is to be sustained, proof will have to be offered before said State Board as to the correctness of the assessments as made by the Local Assessors, and the employment of real estate experts in this behalf should be considered by you. I suggest that you authorize me to employ such expects as I may deem advisable to enable a proper presentation of the City's case in the above matters, and I believe the cost of such expert witnesses will amount to about Three Hundred dollars. Respectfully yours,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., April 28, 1909.

The Honorable Mayor and Council, City of Hoboken, N. J.

Gentlemen—I beg to advise your Honorable Body that I have sold to the following named persons, paving blocks as follows: John J. McGovern, 553 Newark St., 6,100 blocks, $61.00; Henry Barnickel, 129 Harrison St., 7,000 blocks, $70.00, and have turned over the said amounts to James Smith, City Treasurer, whose receipts for same I hold.

Kindly credit same to the Street Fund and oblige, Yours respectfully,

P. R. GRIFFIN,
Street Commissioner.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin, on the collection of sewer tapping fees for the month of March, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin, on the collection of street opening fees for the month of March, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Recorder McGovern, on the collection of fines for the month of March,

1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

S. T. Fairbanks, as auctioneer.

Emil Le Fevre, as expressman.

Salvatore Attanasio, as expressman.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,822.86, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half of the month o fApril, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half of the month of May, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $9,275.27, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half of the month of April, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,699.30, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half of the month of May, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, for the sum of $5,000, to pay currrent expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Specifications from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, for electric arc lighting, gas lighting, hydro carbon lighting, or other lights, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of fifty thousand dollars playground bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned stated session of the Council held March 29, 1909.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the transfer of unexpended balances of tax and license moneys heretofore levied and collected, and appropriate the same to the payment of city expenses and existing indebtedness.

Councilman Clark moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading by title.

Adopted.

Councilman Clark then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading by title.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of fifty thousand dollars playground bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned stated session of the Council held March 29, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses reported in favor of placing the following papers on file.

Communication from Chief of Police Hayes, requesting that the license of Samuel Deturo, as junk dealer, be revoked. Presented March 18, 1908.

Communication from Chief of Police Hayes, relative to Nicholas Deturo and Israel Whitestone, as being unfit persons to conduct junk shops. Presented July 22, 1908.

Communication from Chief of Police Hayes, relative to Max Volker, as being an unfit person to conduct a liquor saloon. Presented July 22, 1908.

Communication from Chief of Police Hayes, requesting the Council to revoke the license of Richard Bugge, as manager of the saloon

located at No. 304 River street. Presented December 23, 1908.

Communication from Anthony Casazza, requesting the Counci lto revoke the license of Arthur Tullock, of No. 300 Monroe street, as having vacated said premises. Presented November 25, 1908.

Resolution that the Council have a public hearing to determine if the Gayety Theatre is a nuisance to the inhabitants of this city. Presented November 11, 1908.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case by the following vote:

For retail liquor licenses: John G. Wisloh, C. Carlsen, Angelo Nobile, Otto E. Stroeh, John F. Zatta, Salvatore Natale, William Kroger, Steve Foretich, Joseph F. Quirolo, Dennis McDermott, John Budee, Henry Steffens, John G. Wisloh, Otto Hauser, Matteo Jugovich, Oscar Weigelt, John Clark, Antonio Cuozzo, Chris. Bobbe, Julius Petzel, Aristodemo Bellavigna, August Grap, Thomas J. Wren, C. J. Tahen, William E. Carroll, Henry Franz, Fred Hauser, Henry Ritter, William Smith.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Geo. W. Lebers, Domenico Racioppi, Henry Bunker, Ernst Weidel, Charles Capelli, Peter Januchowski, Anthony Bruno, Estate of Michael McNamara, Marin Marinovich, Wm. A. Riesel.

For truck licenses: F. W. Reeves, Louis H. Belloff.

For second-hand dealer's license: Joseph Wolowitz.

For express license: Salvatore Attanasio.

For auctioneer's license: S. T. Fairbanks.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

A. J. Greenberg, one pafr oi hip boots	$6 00
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	5 70
Oscar Schlichting, two wheels for pencil sharpener	2 50
Wm. A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
A. E. Solomon, supplies furnished Police Department at Headquarters	20 85
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc.; from March 25 to April 25, 1909	491 74
Wm. A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	21 00
Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for quarter ending April, 1909	150 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	336 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	397 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	344 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	225 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	16 30
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	93 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	37 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	83 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	37 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	30 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	45 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	102 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	94 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	104 00
W. H. Stewart, supplies furnished Sewer Department	34 00
A. J. Greenberg, one pair of rubber boots	5 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	10 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings ond covers	35 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	10 25
Mrs. James Brock, feed furnished city stables	22 29
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	6 15
The Observer, publishing proposals	101 75
The Observer, publishing minutes of April 14, 1909	4 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	44 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of March 24 and 29, 1909	282 60
The Observer, supplies furnihsed city offices	66 55
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	62 25
The Rockwell Printing Co., stationery furnished Mayor's office	23 30
William B. Dana Co., advertising playground bonds	27 00

The Democrat, stationery furnished Inspector of Weights and Measures	24 25
The Democrat, stationery furnished License Inspector	17 75
The Democrat, publishing notice of objections	6 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	61 50
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	35 25
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and caring for lost children.	19 00
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00
J. Rosen, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Mrs. H. Rech, groceries furnished the poor	17 00
C. Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
I. Learner, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
F. Schwanewede, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	75 00
E. Neibuhr, groceries furnished the poor	16 00
Wm. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	30 00
M. Goldman, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
W. DeGround, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
James Maloney, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
Herman Bruns, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
M. Bodem, bread tickets furnished the poor	10 00
Edward Miller, bread tickets furnished the poor	10 00
George Crucio, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 00
Emil Le Fevre, moving homeless	10 00
Fred Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
August Wilckens, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
C. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	35 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	45 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	51 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
A. Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	55 00
A. Begemann, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
M. Tannebaum, groceries furnished the poor	32 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor	26 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	21 88
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless and lost children	17 50
Joseph Kostelecky, rubber tires for ambulance	23 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom were referred the following bonds, reported in favor of accepting and approving the said bonds:

Eugene Smith, as City Surveyor.

Frederick Doepner, as Constable of the Second Ward.

Giuseppe Giordano, as junk dealer.

Aniello Lanzetti, as junk dealer.

Michael Laquardia, as junk dealer.

Pasquale Orlando, as junk dealer.

Tony Jardano, as junk dealer.

N. J. Transfer and Baggage Co., as expressmen.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the bonds accepted and approved in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,822.86, to pay salaries, etc., of the

Police Department for the last half month of April, 1909; reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeeley,the report was received.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400.00, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of May, 1909, reported the same correct:

On motion fo Councilman McFeeley, the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $9,275.27, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department, for the last half month of of April, 1909; reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark, the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,699.30, to pay salaries of the Fire Dement for the first half month of May, 1909, reported the same correct;

On motion of Councilman Clark, the report was received.

The Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Free Public Library Trustee's, for the sum of $5,000, to pay current expenses of said Board, reported the same correct;

On motion of Councilman Zang, the report was received.

Councilmen Buckley, McFeely, Gonzales, Clark, Wren, Friedrichs, Bahrenburg, Foley and Chairman Whelan, presented the following:

Resolved, That Francis A. Stanton, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor of the City of Hoboken.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Whereas,Petitions of appeals have been filed with the State Board of Equalization of Taxes by the Est. of Robert Stevens, Edwin A Stevens, Richard Stevens Ferdinand Eichner, A. Philip Hexamer, Stevens Institute of Technology, and others, appealing from the property assessments made against them by the Board of Assessors, and in consequence thereof it is deemed advisable to authorize the employment of realty experts to testify to the valuations fixed by said Assessors, at the hearing before said State Board of Equalization of Taxes, scheduled for Thursday, May 6, 1909;

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized to employ such persons as he may deem advisable to make inspection of the properties in question in said appeals, and to fix a valuation thereon and testify in regard thereto in behalf of the City of Hoboken, the entire cost of such persons' services not to exceed, however, the sum of three hundred dollars.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presetned the following:

Whereas, The matter of the repavement of Fery street has been discussed by the Council from time to time, and in the opinion of the Council the said improvement is very necessary, and the Council being of the opinion also that the cost of such improvement should be borne in part by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, which owns all of the property on the southerly side of Ferry street, between the easterly end thereof and Henderson street, and that a part of said cost should be borne also by the Public Servcie Railway Company, which operates part of its street railway system upon said street from the easterly end thereof to Henderson street;

Resolved, That Tuesday, May 11th, 1909, at 8 o'clock p. m., be designated as a time when the Committee of the Whole of the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, with the representatives of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company and the Public Service Railway Company, to discuss the matter of said proposed improvement, and that the city Clerk be and he is hereby directed to notify the said companies to have its representatives meet with the Committee of the Whole at the aforesaid time.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

April 28, 1909.

To the Council:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the several bids received at this meeting for the purchase of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) "Playground Bonds," as advertised for, respectfully report that we have carefully examined the said

bids and find that the proposal of Rhoades and Company is the highest and most advantageous bid for the city, and, in the judgment of your committee, it is in the interest of the city to accept same.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Whereas, Due public notice was given in accordance with a resolution of the Council passed on the 29th day of March, 1909, and duly approved on the 29th day of March, 1909, to the effect that sealed proposals for the purchase of bonds of the City of Hoboken to be known as "Playground Bonds," in the amount of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), to bear interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, and to run for a period of thirty years from the date of issue, registered or coupon, at the option of the bidder, would be received at the regular meeting of the Council to be held on Wednesday, April 28th, 1909, at 4 o'clock p. m., and,

Whereas, The several bids for said bonds have been duly considered by the Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom such were referred for consideration, as appears from the report of said committee presented to the Council at this meeting (April 28th, 1909).

Resolved, Tha the issue of said fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) bonds, known as "Playgrounds Bonds," authorized by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of fifty thousand dollars' Playground Bonds," passed April 28th, 1909, and approved by the Mayor this same day, be and the same are hereby awarded to Rhoades and Company, of the City of New York, at the price named in their proposal, to wit, 102.663 and accrued interest to date of delivery; and,

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds when duly executed to said Rhoades and Company, of New York City, on receipt of the amount of their bid therefor; and,

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to return to the unsuccessful bidders for the aforesaid bonds their checks accompanying their bid.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

April 28, 1909.

To the Council:

Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the several proposals submitted to the Council at this meeting, for the improvement of Elysian Park, as advertised for, beg leave to report that we have carefully examnied each and all of said proposals and in our judgment it is for the best interest of the city that all of said proposals be rejected. We therefore recommend the rejection of all of said proposals, and that the City Clerk be directed to re-advertise for proposals for the improvement of Elysian Park in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's Office, and that the City Clerk be directed to return to the respective bidders their checks accompanying their bids.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,822.86, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the police force for the last half-month of April, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,400 in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the police force for the first half-month of May, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire fund for the sum of $9,275.27, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James

Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of April, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,699.30, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half-month of May, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $5,000, in favor of Ferdinand Kaegebehn, Treasurer of the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, to pay salaries, &c., of the Free Public Library.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $25.00, in favor of Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half month of May, 1909.

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of April, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
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Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener 30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper 37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper 37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper 37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries in full for the month of April, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician $83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney 150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue 125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue 100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall 75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor 116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks 100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct..... 75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court 104 16
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
M. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk.. 100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner 166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper 60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk 116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor.. 208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court. 75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk..... 125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder 208 33
Thomas J. McAleer, one month's salary as City Prison Keeper.... 75 00
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner 125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector 125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper 60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician 83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector 100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer 125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys.... 41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court 26 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court.... 208 33

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, May 12, 1909:

The Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, oFley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Absent—Chairman Wehlan.

The Clerk stated the first business in order would be the election of a Chairman pro tem.

Councilman Wren nominated Councilman Buckley as Chairman pro tem.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Wren the reading of the minutes o fthe stated session of the Council held on April 28, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Petition for the improvement of Madison street, between Eigth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committees on Streets and Assessments and Sewers.

Communication from the Hoboken Cemetery Trustees notifying the Council of the election of Lewis R. McCullough as a Trustee for the full term of six years, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the West Hudson Aero Club, inviting the Mayor and Council to attend Areonautic Carnival, to be held at the Borough of North Arlington from May 25 to May 31, 1909, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Citizen's Light, Heat and Power, relative to a copy of a set of resolutions approved at the public meeting, held at Vasel's Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Communications from the Hoboken Veteran Corps, Company K, Ninth Regiment; Association of Exempt Firemen, Major Christian Woerner Post No. 81, and Christian Woerner Camp No. 1, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners, requesting the Council to purchase or lease the grounds on the north side of Engine House No. 6, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The following petitons for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Julius Waller, Frank Scutellaro, Philip Oneto, Anthony Casazza, August Schroeder, Charles K. Perazzo, Aniello Pagano, Joseph Raffo, August Tonsing, Nunzio Spina, Charles Degerick, Pietro Lensi, Cornelius Sullivan, Andrew Valla, David Beck, Charles Weinacht.

For transfer of retail liquor license: Victor Podesta, August Eckelkamp, Charles Mattes.

For peddler's licenses: Nunziano Calabrese, George R. Collier, Alphonse Cascace, Domenick Yonicorn, John A. Bertotti, Jr., Alfred Sgambiti, Antonio Garsinlo, Pasquale Lorato, Michael Bonzo.

Andrew L. Findlay, as pawnbroker.

Sarten C. Thuesen, as beer bottler.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for March, 1909..	59 05
C. W. Cooley, one nisurance map for Building Inspector.....	65 00
J. H. Kruse, insurance on City Stable	67 50
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To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., repairs at Collector of Revenue office	4 00
B. McGovern, repairs at City Hall and Second Precinct	16 73
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall.	55 38
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	15 10
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	71 74
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	7 15
William Phillips, putting up awnings at Second Precinct	8 00
Ferdinand Eicher, three can of Japalac	2 25
James Maloney, supplies furnished City Hall, janitor.....	25 50
Fagan Iron Works, 12 grates for Hudson Square Park.....	42 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Alfred Ludwig, spplies furnished Street Department 17 65

To the Committee on Sewers:

A. J. Greenberg, boots furnished Sewer Department 11 00

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers 30 00

Fagan Iron Works, one bar for receiving basin 3 38

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Democrat, publishing ordinances 112 00

The Democrat, publishing proposals 29 20

Jacobus Ink Well Co., ink wells and stands 3 25

S. D. Dickinson, two certified copies of laws of 1909 ..... 3 00

The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk 69 50

The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk 78 50

The Observer, publishing minutes of April 28, 1909..... 201 50

The Observer, stationery furnished City offices 67 00

The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals 16 50

The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals 27 30

The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals 19 50

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corporation, electric current supplied public buildings from aMrch 17 to April 17, 1909 ..... 278 05

Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings.. 50 40

Public Service Corporation, street lighting, etc., for April, -909... 2,314 15

To the Committee on Alms:

Bischoff Bros., groceries furnished the poor. 15 00

H. Schrader, groceries furnished the poor 33 00

I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor 12 00

E. Le Fevre, moving poor 4 00

Charles F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

Mrs. H. Rech, groceries furnished the poor 3 00

Peter Koch, groceries furnished the poor 3 00

George Cordes, groceries furnished the poor 15 00

W. M. Abbott, transportation of poor 4 50

A. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor 6 00

F. J. Kopp, groceries furnished the poor 18 00

Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

To the Committee on Licenses:

William B. Taylor, 50 porter's license badges 24 00

William B. Taylor, 50 express license badges 24 00

William B. Taylor, 50 hack license badges 24 00

William B. Taylor, 50 musicians license badges 24 00

William B. Taylor, 200 vendor license badges 96 00

The following report of City Clerk Londigan was read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., May 12, 1909.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and oCuncil:

Gentlemen:—

I herewith most respectfully report to your Honorable body that from the fiscal year beginnig May 4, 1908, and ending May 3, 1909, I have collected for liquor licenses, transfers, peddler's and miscellaneous licenses, the sum of $131,145.00; for license badges for preceding year the sum of $86.50, making a total of $131,231.50, all of which I have turned over to Mr. James Smith, City Treasurer, whose receipts for same are in my possession and certified to as correct on my books by the Comptroller.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

The following report of License Inspector Robb was presented, read and received:

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Council, of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—

I have the honor to submit herewith to your Honorable Body my anunual report for the year ending May 3, 1909:

Applications for house of public entertainment licenses (retail) 394

Applications for house of public entertainment licenses (wholsale).... 10

Applications for transfers of house of public entertainment..... 101

Application for peddlers' licenses... 108

Application for junkmen's licenses.. 17

Application for concert hall lisense. 5

Applications for theatre licenses.... 5

Applications for beer bottler's licenses 18

Application for porter's licenses 19

Application for moving picture licenses 6

Applications for auctioneer's licenses. 4

Application for truckmen's licenses. 21

Application for expressmen's licenses.	16
Applications for musician's licenses.	4
Application for bill poster's licenses.	1
Applications for pawn broker's licenses	2
Applications for hack licenses.....	14
Applications for second-hand licenses.	14

Respectfully submitted.

ALEXANDER ROBB,
License Inspector.

The annual report of the Board of Police Commissioners for the year ending April 30, 1909, was presented, read and received.

The following report from Chief of Police Hayes, was presented, read and ordered on file:

Hoboken, N. J., May 11th. 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen:—

I herewith forward to your Honorable Body a copy of the annual report of Patrick Hayes, Jr., Chief of Police.

At a session of the Board of Police Commissioners, held on Tuesday, May 11th, 1909, said report was presented, read and received, ordered entered in full in the minutes, and I was directed to forward a copy to your Honorable body.

Yours respectfully,
DANIEL J. McCARTHY,
Clerk.

May 10, 1909.

To the Honorable Board of Police Commissioners, City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—

The annual report of the police department, with a detailed statement of its operations for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1909, is herewith presented to your Honorable body for your consideration.

Through the numerical weakness of the force ,the proper patrol of the city is is seriously impaired. There are several sections where the service could be greatly improved up. Despite this handicap, the members of the department, during the past year, have displayed a marked vigilance and efficiency in their enforcement of thecriminal law, as is demonstrated by the tabulated sheets. By the appointment of more patrolmen this difficulty could easily be overcome and a better protection given to the districts referred to.

The need of a new police headquarters becomes more urgent. We are lacking in room for all branches of the service and the cramped and unsanitary location now occupied is absolutely unsuitable for its purpose. I know that your honorable body is in thorough accord with me on this subject and that a new police building will be the result of your efforts in that direction.

I would also recommend the purchase of new horses for our patrol wagon service. The work is too arduous for our present stock. They have been in service for a number of years and are positively unfit for the police service.

The great number of pool and billiard parlors now in existence in this city demands immediate attention. Ostensibly operated for pool and billiard playing only, it requires a great deal of watchfulness in preventing them from violating the laws against gambling. As a general class they exercise a baneful influence on the morals of the young men of the city. They should be regulated by ordinances and continued only by grace of the governing body of the city.

During the past year 363 warrants and 1523 summons were served by the members of the department. The police matrons cared for 242 lost children. There were 29 suicides and 7 attempts at suicide.

With due appreciation of the hearty cooperation extended by your honrable body to the police department, this report is

Respectfully submitted.

PATRICK HAYES, JR.,
Chief of oPlice.

The following report from the Overseer of the Poor was presented, read and ordered on file:

Hoboken, N. J., May 1st, 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:—

I beg herewith to submit my report of the Department of the Overseer of the Poor for the month of April, 1909, as follows:

Application of new cases.....	224
Classified as follows:	
Widows	3
Couples with the bread-earner living.	19
Widowers	4
Male, single	3
Female, single	1
Emergency police cases	44
(Of which 7 cases were for non-support and desertion).	
Summons issued and adjusted	7

The following relief was granted for groceries etc., which includes old cases carried over from January the 1st, 1909:

For groceries etc., 127 orders, amounting to	$381 00
Committed to the hospital	13
Committed to the hospital through police department	44
Burial of poor, adults 3, amounting to	$35 25
Commited to Almshouse	3

For medical treatment at the office, cases 150

Respectfully submitted,
HARRY L. BARCK, JR.,
Overseer of the Poor.

The following report of the Overseer of the Poor was presented, read and ordered on file:

Hoboken, N. J., April 1st, 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council:

Gentlemen:—

Iin compliance with your request I beg to submit to your consideration the report of the Department of the Overseer of the Poor for the month of March, 1909, as follows:

Application of new cases are 244

Classified as follows:

Widows 18
Couples with the bread-earner living. 60
Widowers 5
Male, single 10
Female, single 1

Of which 27 cases are for non-support and desertion.

Summons issued 20
Cases adjusted 15
Cases referred 5
Warrant sapplied for 5

The following relief was granted for groceries, etc., which includes old cases carried over from January the 1st, 1909:

For groceries, etc., 164 orders, amounting to $492 00
Committed to the hospital 18
Committed to the Almshouse 4
For medical treatment at the office 164
Emergency poor cases sent to the hospital 29
Burial of one $5 75

Respectfully submitted,
HARRY L. BARCK, JR.,
Overseer of the Poor.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Andrew L. Findlay, as pawn broker.

Francis A. Stanton, as City Curveyor.

Specifications for a building to be erected for a public comfort and storage in connection with the Elysian Park improvements, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Specifications for the improvement of Elysian Park, inaccordance with the plans for the same, entitled "Plans for the improvement of the easterly portion of Elysian Park," was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Gorunds and Buildings.

Requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners for the sum of $6,734.72, being the final payment of the laying of the new 30-inch water main, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries, in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

An ordinance for repaving Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading by title.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading by title.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

An ordinance to provide for the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading by title.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading by title.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner on each case:

For retail liquor licenses: Philip Oneto, Anthony Casazza, August Schroeder, Charles K. Perazzo, Aniello Pagano, Joseph Raffo, August Tonsing, Nunzio Spina, Charles Degerick, Pietro Lensi, Cornelius Sullivan, Andrew Valla, David Beck, Charles Weinacht.

For transfer of retail liquor license: Victor Podesta, August Eckelkamp, Charles Mattes.

For peddler's licenses: Nunziano Calabrese, George R. Collier, Alphonse Cascace, Domenick Yonicorn, Jonn A. Bertotti, Jr.,

Alfred Sgambiti, Antonio Garsinlo, Pasquale Lorato, Michael Bonzo.

Andrew L. Findlay, as pawnbroker.

Sarten C. Thuesen, as beer bottler.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The following report of the Committee of the Whole was presented and read:

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred the matter of the repaving of Ferry street, respectfully report that they met in the Council Chamber on Tuesday evening, May 11, 1909, and after hearing Mr. Edwards for the D., L. & W. Railroad Company, and Mr. Hine for the Public Service Corporation, and also Mayor Steil and Corporation Attorney Fallon in behalf of the city, beg leave to report progress, and ask permission to sit again on Tuesday evening, May 25, 1909, at 8 o'clock, and also that the City Clerk be directed to notify said companies or their representatives to be present on that evening.

Respectfully,
THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
PETER F. CLARK,
CHAS. ZANG,
D. BAHRENBURG,
BERNARD McFEELY.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
Clerk.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The following report was presented and read:

The Committee on Streets and Assessments and the Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the petition for the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, report in favor of directing the Clerk to advertise thereto according to law.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The following report was presented and read:

Hoboken, May 12, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Whereas, A majority of the property owners along the line of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, have petitioned the Council for the improvement of the said portion of said street as follows: By putting in sewer and paving same, etc.; therefore

Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to advertise according to law for objections and also proposals for doing said work, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to draw up the necessary ordinance for the same.

PETER F. CLARK,
BERNARD McFEELY,
THOMAS J. WREN,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The following report and resolution of the Committee on Lamps and Gas was presented and read:

Whereas, The Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, by petition presented to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken on April 28, 1909, did request the said Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken to grant it permission to lay conduits and erect poles in all the public streets of the city of Hoboken and for other privileges as in said petition is more particularly set forth.

Resolved, That the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, hereby designates Friday, the 28th day of May, nineteen hundred and nine, at the hour of 2 p. m. of that day, as the time, and the regular meeting room of the said Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, in the City Hall, Hoboken, N. J., as the place at which the said Mayor and Council will consider such petition and the application therein and thereby made, and the Clerk of said city is hereby directed to cause notices of such application to be published according to law in The Observer and Inquirer once a week for at least two weeks and for at least

fourteen days before the said 28th day of May, nineteen hundred and nine; and, further, by posting such notice in five of the most public places in the city of Hoboken, as follows: City Hall, Public Library, United States Post Office, cor. Newark and River streets, northwest corner of Washington and Newark streets and the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Washington streets, at least fourteen days before the said 28th day of May, nineteen hundred and nine.

THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Mayor and Council in the sum of $5 for postage stamps for use in the office of the Overseer of the Poor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Councilman Wren moved that when the Board adjourns, it adjourn to meet on Monday, May 17, 1909, at 4 p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday afternoon, May 17, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Invitation to attend the annual festival of the Hoboken Schuetzen Corps, to be held at Schuetzen Park on Wednesday, June 2, 1909, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending that when a franchise is granted for electric lighting in this city that the wires be placed underground, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

An ordinance to provide for the issuance of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars "repavement bonds."

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading by title.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading by title.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Councilmen Wren, Buckley and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the purchase of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars "Repavement Bonds" pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled 'An act providing for the repavement of paved streets in cities of this State, and for the issuance of bonds in payment therefor," approved March 2, 1898.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, May 26, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council, held on May 12, 1909, was approved as printed, and the adjourned session held on May 17, 1909, was approved, with the exception that Councilmen Foley and Gonzales be recorded as being present at said meeting.

The following proposals for the improvement of Elysian Park was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

From Michael J. Farrell:

I will contract to do all work and furnish all materials for the following price or prices: $5,466, iron railing $3.15 per foot.

From Peter J. Heagney:

I will contract to do the aforesaid work for the following price or prices:

Earth excavation per cubic yard, 1 cent.

Sodding per square foot, 10 cents.

Garden soil per cubic yard, 1 cent.

Concrete curb per lineal foot, 80 cents.

Concrete sidewalks, with curb, per lineal foot, 50 cents.

Receiving basins, $150.

Eight-inch culvert, $1.

Iron fence per lineal foot, $4.

Tool house, $1,900.

Invitation to attend the annual picnic of the Thomas J. Wren Association, to be held at Grand View Park on Saturday evening, June 12, 1909, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication fro mthe Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending a public inland bath, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, recommending receptacles for refuse, etc., to be placed on the streets and parks, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from Charles Hoffmann, requesting an Exempt Firemen's certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Clerk of the District Court, requesting the Council to furnish him with filing records, to file court records, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Printing and Stationery.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Joseph A. Wacker, Frank Scutellaro, Julius Waller, Alfred Griener, Pietro Pallaadino, John Karlau, Hugh Costello, Frank J. Quirolo, S. Fuder, Carmine DeSomna.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Andrew Capelli, August Radau, Giovanni Puleo.

For peddler's licenses: Luvigi Guaragino, Adam Smith, Tommaso Defelice, Saveria Avversa, Francesco Dinraio, Gennaro Verminiello, John Ammann.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

P. J. Ryan, appraising real estate before the State Board of Taxation	$100 00
Leo Mayer, appraising real estate before the State Board of Taxation	$100 00
August Grassmann, insurance on chattels of Board of Health office	8 10

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

William A. Barrett, washing towels.	$6 00
J. Aronson, glass furnished City Hall	3 00
William Babcock, plants furnished City Hall	22 00
Herman Hoppe & Sons, repairs for parks	2 15
O. K. Electric Equip. Co., electrical repairs	41 50
Hoboken Electric Equip Co., electrical repairs at Recorder's Court.	42 00
Hoboken Electric Equip Co., electrical repairs at Police Headquarters	17 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., supplies, etc., furnished Recorder's Court	3 20
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., repairing chair	75
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture, etc., furnished Police Headquarters	115 30
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture, etc., furnished Assessor's office	158 90

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., repairing furniture	4 25
William Muller, use of horse and wagon in parks	32 00
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Hudson Square Park	61 50
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Hudson Square Park	25 50
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Church Square Park	51 00
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Elysian Park	72 50
J. E. Kenna, keys furnished and repairs to locks	15 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	108 00
Louis Spangenberg, supplies furnished public bath	2 95
M. Hendberg, six bushels of grass seed	36 00
W. D. Binderwald, two barrels of Kno-dust	16 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Pay roll, cleaning streets	$363 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	242 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	334 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	91 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	379 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	21 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	281 25
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	40 50
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	40 50
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	40 50
Charles Hvass & Co., 9 dozen brass brooms furnished Street Department	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	27 00
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	23 50
John Zang, supplies furnished Street Department	20 50
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	68 71
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	13 00
Mrs. J. Brock, feed furnished city stable	82 41
Mrs. J. Brock, feed furnished city stable	91 63
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from April 25 to May 25, 1909	791 66
Peter A. Peluso, balance due for removing ashes, garbage, etc., for April, 1909	299 92

To the Committee on Sewers:

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	$11 00
A. J. Greenberg, rubber boots furnished Sewer Department	11 00
John Zang, repairs for Sewer Department	1 80
Pay roll, repairing sewers	21 25
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	102 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	5 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	35 00
Pay roll, repairing receiving basins.	98 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	35 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	35 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	98 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	85 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

T. O. Wright, one map of State of New Jersey	$1 35
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	62 40
The Observer, publishing proposals and ordinances	328 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of May 12 and 17, 1909	96 00
The Inquirer, publishing proposals.	26 00

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	$10 45
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms	15 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, caring for lost children	11 50
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	51 90

To the Committee on Alms:

John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	$5 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	3 00

The Committee on Alms, to whom was referred the following claims, reported the same correct:

Chas. F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	$15 00
Mrs. H. Rech, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
George Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Peter Koch, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
F. J. Kopp, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
A. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Bischoff Bros., groceries furnished the poor	15 00

H. Schrader, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Emil LeFevre, moving of poor	4 00
W. M. Abbott, transportation of poor	4 50

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Specifications for sewer, paving, etc., of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $824, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor for ten receiving basins, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $6,459.40, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of May, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $6,500 to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of June, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the su mof $4,657.97 to pay salaries, etc., for the last half month of May, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,699.30 to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of June, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Annual report of the Board of Tax Commissioners for the fiscal year of 1909, was presented, read and ordered spread in full in the minutes, and the Corporation Attorney directed to prepare an ordinance to cover said report.

Hoboken, N. J., May 25, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The Board of Tax Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, who are freeholders and electors in the Ward which they represent, to wit:

First Ward—F. W. Grube, Dominick J. Livelli,

Second Ward—John Schumann, Robert S. Pallehner,

Third Ward—Antonia Monaco, Antonio Sica,

Fourth Ward—John A. Cross, Patrick Leonard,

Fifth Ward—Philip Steuerwald, Harry J. Stone,

having met at the City Hall on the first Monday in January, 1909, and appointed Philip Steuerwald Chairman of the Board, and Dominick Livelli Secretary, do hereby certify that they have fixed the amount to be raised by taxation for the current year as follows, to wit:

CITY INDEBTEDNESS.

Interest on	
Judgment bonds "Refunded"	$2,180 00
Water bonds	900 00
City Hall bonds	3,000 00
Uptown Street Improvement Certificate bonds, A	12,480 00
Uptown Street Improvement Certificate bonds, B	3,000 00
Uptown Street Improvement Certificate bonds, C and D	6,860 00
School House No. 6 bonds	4,000 00
School House No. 7 bonds	4,120 00
School House No. 8 bonds	5,600 00
School House No. 9 bonds	8,786 60
School House bonds, 1908	335 43
School House bonds, 1909	4,420 00
Fire House Bonds, 1894	200 00
Fire House bonds, 1897	1,000 00
Fire House bonds, 1907	1,800 00
Police Department bonds	1,080 00
Free Library Construction bonds	2,000 00
Main Outlet Sewer bonds	4,000 00
Street Repaving Bonds No. 1	6,000 00
Street Repaving bonds No. 2	2,000 00
Engine House bonds "Refunded"	600 00
Elysian Park Addition bonds	514 00
Elysian Park Improvement bonds	400 00
General Sewer Cleaning and Repairing bonds	1,400 00
Judgment bonds "O'Neill"	1,075 00
Funding bonds	3,015 00
Water Main bonds	4,750 00
Playground bonds	2,000 00
Temporary loans	5,936 86
Sinking funds for the redemption of	
Uptown Street Improvement Certificate bonds, A	6,240 00
Uptown Street Improvement Certificate bonds, B	1,500 00
Uptown Street Improvement Certificate bonds, C and D	3,000 00
School House No. 6 bonds	2,000 00
School House No. 7 bonds	2,000 00
School House No. 8 bonds	2,800 00

School House No. 9 bonds	4,395 00
School House bonds, 1908	225 00
School House bonds, 1909	2,210 00
Engine House bonds, 1897	1,000 00
Engine House bonds, 1908	1,900 00
Street Repaving bonds, 1	2,000 00
Street Repaving bonds, 2	1,000 00
Main Outlet Sewer bonds	2,000 00
Free Public Library Construction bonds	1,000 00
Sewer Cleaning and Repairing bonds	3,500 00
Elysian Park Addition bonds	1,285 00
Elysian Park Improvement bonds	1,000 00
Judgment bonds, "O'Neill"	645 00
Water Main bonds	2,850 00
Funding bonds	2,010 00
Playgrounds bonds	1,000 00
Judgment bonds "Refunded"	1,040 00
City's share of improvements:	
Madison street improvement, Eighth to Fifteenth streets	7,019 57
Engine House bond, due August 1, 1909	10,000 00
	$157,072 46

To meet the above we appropriate:

Franchise tax	$16,842 56	
State Railroad tax	10,471 10	
Balances in the following funds:		
New Fire House No. 6	414 37	
Sinking Fund	2,253 86	
Elysian Park Improvement	699 61	
Elysian Park Addition	124 98	
Special Sewer Cleaning and Repairing	31 23	
Semi-Centennial celebration	85 40	
Fire House bond, 1902	1,000 00	
To be raised by taxation, one hundred and twenty-five thousand one hundred and forty-nine dollars and thirty-five cents	125,149 35	
		$157,072 46

SALARIES OF CITY OFFICIALS.

Mayor	$2,000 00
Collector of Revenue	2,500 00
City Treasurer	2,500 00
Recorder	2,500 00
Comptroller	2,500 00
Judge of District Court	3,000 00
Corporation Attorney	2,500 00
Assistant Corporation Attorney	1,800 00
Street Commissioner	2,000 00
Assistant Street Commissioner	1,500 00
License Inspector	1,500 00
City Clerk	1,500 00
First Assistant City Clerk	1,400 00
Second Assistant City Clerk	1,200 00
Overseer of the Poor	1,400 00
Ten Councilmen	4,000 00
Assistant to Treasurer	1,500 00
Assistant to Collector	1,200 00
Five Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	6,000 00
City Physician	1,000 00
Assistant City Physician	1,000 00
Two engineers at City Hall	1,800 00
Clerk of District Court	1,500 00
Janitor City Hall	900 00
Assistant Stableman	600 00
Inspector of Buildings	1,200 00
Foreman on Streets	780 00
Driver of Sweeper	720 00
Two cart drivers	1,440 00
Four Park Keepers	3,600 00
Seven Assistant Park Keepers	5,040 00
City Gardener	720 00
Assistant City Gardener	720 00
Stableman	720 00
Two Police Matrons	960 00
Clerk to Recorder	900 00
Clerk to Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	1,200 00
Sluicegate Keeper	720 00
Assistant Sluicegate Keeper	720 00
Janitor Police Sub-station	900 00
Bath Keeper	400 00
Constable District Court	313 00
Custodian of School Moneys	500 00
Ten Tax Commissioners	1,000 00
Superintendent of Parks	1,200 00
Balance due Judge of District Court for April	17 94
Balance due Clerk of District Court for April	8 99
Seventy-three thousand seventy-nine dollars and ninety-three cents, to be raised by taxation	$73,079 93
Removing dead animals, six hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation	600 00
Health, three thousand two hundred and seventy-three dollars and forty cents, to be raised by taxation	3,273 40
Election expenses, two thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation	2,000 00
Industrial Education, seven thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation	7,000 00

Water rents for public buildings, two hundred and twenty-five dollars, to be raised by taxation		225 00
Street and public building lighting, thirty-three thouasnd dollars, to be raised by taxation..		33,000 00
Printing and stationery, eleven thousand four hundred and fifteen dollars, to be raised by taxation		11,415 00
Clerk hire to Secretary and typewritten copies of appropriations, three hundred and twenty-five dollars, to be raised by taxation		325 00
Outdoor poor	$6,000 00	
Medical supplies for outdoor poor	300 00	
Sick and indigent poor		12,000 00
Outstanding claims of sick and indigent poor	6,164 00	
Twenty-four thousand four hundred and sixty-four dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		24,464 00

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Salaries and pensions	$146,397 08	
Printing and stationery	1,000 00	
Incidental expenses.	400 00	
Supplies, repairs, &c	500 00	
Telegraph and telephone expenses ..	250 00	
Pictures for rogues' gallery	100 00	
Feed, shoeing, clipping and veterinary for horses...	425 00	
	$149,072 08	
Less license money to be collected....	120,000 00	
Twenty-nine thousand seventy-two dollars and eight cents, to be raised by taxation.....		$29,072 08

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Salaries and pensions	$114,435 83	
Feeding and shoeing horses	6,930 00	
Advertising proposals and printing and stationery	1,000 00	
Gas and electric light for department houses	900 00	
Coal and wood, including fuel for auxiliary heaters.	1,800 00	
Supplies and ordinary repairs ...	4,500 00	
1,500 feet of 2½-inch hose	1,650 00	
Water	375 00	
One fire alarm box	150 00	
Removing manure..	125 00	
1½ miles of new wire for renewing old wire in circuits	150 00	
Telephone service ..	50 00	
One new hook and ladder truck	5,500 00	
Repairing Truck No. 1	1,000 00	
Repairing roof of Engine house No. 3	500 00	
Three horses	900 00	
One new first size steam engine (rubber tires)	6,200 00	
One new three-horse set of fire harness	350 00	
	$146,515 83	
Less balance on hand	2,300 00	
One hundred and forty-four thousand two hundred and fifteen dollars and eighty-three cents, to be raised by taxation		144,215 83

PLAYGROUNDS.

Fourth Ward Playgrounds:		
Custodian	$600 00	
Electric light	300 00	
Renewals	200 00	
Water	100 00	
Cricket Grounds:		
Custodian	600 00	
General expenses ..	240 00	
Two thousand and forty dollars, to be raised by taxation.		2,040 00
Street Cleaning, supplies, &c., twenty thouasnddollars, to be raised by taxation		20,000 00
Repairing streets, three thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation		3,000 00
Cleaning and repairing sewers and receiving basins, eight thousand three hundred and thirty dollars, to be raised by taxation		8,330 00
Removing ashes and garbage	$9,500 00	

Balance due contractor on last year's contract	299 92	
Nine thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine dollars and ninety-two cents, to be raised by taxation		9,799 92
For use of Water Commissioners, two thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		2,000 00
Contingent Fund, five hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation		500 00
Observance of Memorial Day, five hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		500 00
Insurance on city buildings, fifteen hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		1,500 00
Coal and wood for public buildings, fifteen hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		1,500 00
Cintingencies for Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes, three hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		300 00

PUBLIC GROUNDS AND BUILDINGS.

Ice for city buildings	$150 00	
Sprinkling streets around City Hall	120 00	
Awnings for windows at City Hall.	250 00	
Painting and metal ceilings in City Hall	500 00	
Janitors' supplies at City Hall and Police Sub-station	500 00	
General repairs to City Hall, Substation, ambulance house and city stable	200 00	
Supplies for Bath Keepers	200 00	
Repairs and supplies to City Bath	200 00	
Caretaker of City Bath during winter months	160 00	
Grand stand for Memorial Day parade	50 00	
Emergency iron stairs to upper floors of City Hall	450 00	
Twenty-seven hundred and eighty dollars, to be raised by taxation		2,780 00
United Aid Society of Hoboken, one thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		1,000 00
New receiving basins, one thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation		1,000 00
New basin heads, five hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation		500 00
Rebuilding sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, five thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation		5,000 00
Jackson street sewer, between Paterson avenue and First street, for raising 18 inches and to be cleaned, two thousand dollars, to be raised by taxation		2,000 00
For cleaning drains in the northern section of city, five hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation		500 00
Armory, five hundred dollars, to be raised by taxation.....		500 00
The moneys collected from the District Court and Recorder's, less $1,500 for the salary of the First Assistant to the Collector of Revenue, to be appropriated to the Contingent Fund.		
The balances in the different funds not otherwise appropriated are reappropriated to their respective funds.		
Making a total to be raised by taxation of five hundred and sixteen thousand five hundred and sixty-nine dollars and fifty-one cents		$516,569 51

In witness whereof, the Chairman and Secretary have hereunto set their hands, this 25th day of May A. D., 1909.

PHILIP STEUERWALD,
Chairman.

DOMINICK J. LIVELLI,
Secretary.

The following report of the Board of School Estimate was presented and read:

BOARD OF SCHOOL ESTIMATE,
DISTRICT OF HOBOKEN, N. J.

Hoboken, N. J., May 25, 1909.

To the Hon. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that at a meeting of the Board of School Estimate, held on Monday evening, May 24, 1909, the following amount, specified, was fixed and determined as the amount necessary for the

use and maintenance of the public schools of the school district of Hoboken for the ensuing school year ending June 30, 1910:

For teachers' salaries	$264,175 11	
For coal and wood	8,000 00	
Total for teachers' salaries and fuel		$272,175 11
Janitors and officials	$27,620 00	
Supplies, books and stationery	18,500 00	
Janitors' supplies, etc.	3,000 00	
Evening School	2,500 00	
Water	1,400 00	
Insurance	2,800 00	
Gas and electric light	1,750 00	
Telephones	400 00	
High and Grammar Commencement	600 00	
Lectures	500 00	
Piano care	250 00	
Clock care	350 00	
Printing	2,250 00	
Rent	1,500 00	
Repairs and furniture	28,450 00	
Medical inspection	3,000 00	
Manual Training, Schools Nos. 8 and 9	2,500 00	
Additional, to acquire school site, as per special resolution	5,000 00	
Total amount required		$374,545 11
Less a mount apportioned by State		237,154 82
To be raised by taxation		$137,390 29

We would therefore ask your Honorable Body to appropriate the amount specified and required, as aforesaid, in the same manner as other appropriations are made.

By order of the Board of School Estimate.

GEORGE H. STEIL,
President,
CHAS ZANG,
GEORGE LANKERING,
JOHN W. HOWELL.

Attest:
WM. A. KERR,
Secretary.

Councilman Buckley moved that the report be referred back to the Board of School Estimate for corrections.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilman Zang.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading by title at a stated session of the Council held May 12, 1909, Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars repavement bonds.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the transfer of unexpended balances of tax and license moneys, heretofore levied and collected, and to appropriate the same to the payment of city xpenses and existing indebtedness, which was presented, read and passed its first reading by title at a stated session of the Council held on April 28, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the improvemet of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading by title at a stated session of the Council held on May 12, 1909, and which was

taken up, and passed its second reading at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the transfer of unexpended balances of tax and license moneys, heretofore levied and collected, and to appropriate the same to the payment of city expenses and existing indebtedness, which was presented, read and passed its first reading by title at a stated session of the Council held on April 28, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Gonzales presented the following:

Whereas, The city is about to award a contract for another water main in the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, A number of men competent to be employed in such work, and are now out of employment in the City of Hoboken, be it

Resolved, That a condition be inserted in an agreement be required from the contractors accepting the bid for the new water main, that the contractors employ citizens of the City of Hoboken to do the work upon such water main, and that the citizens of Hoboken be given preference in the employment.

Councilman Buckley moved to adopt the resolution, and a copy be forwarded to the Board of Water Commissioners.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following.

Resolved, That the Committee on Lamps and Gas be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to confer with the Public Service Corporation to ascertain if that Company will furnish electric light to the City of Hoboken for the period of one year, at the rate or price of Eighty dollars per lamp, and that said Committee report the result of such conference at the next regular meeting of the Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON RE-ASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrich, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

The Committee on Licenses to whom was referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case by the following vote:

For retail liquor licenses: Joseph A. Wacker, Frank Scutellaro, Julius Waller, Alfred Griener, Pietro Pallaadino, John Karlau, Hugh Costello, Frank J. Quirolo, S. Fuder, Carmine DeSomna.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Andrew Capelli, August Radau, Giovanni Puleo.

For peddler's licenses: Luvigi Guaragino, Adam Smith, Tommaso Defelice, Saveria Avversa, Francesco Dinraio, Gennaro Verminiello, John Ammann.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

Councilman Foley appeared and took his seat.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

The Observer, publishing minutes of April 28, 1909	$201 50
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	78 50

The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	69 50
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	67 00
The Democrat, publishing ordinances.	112 00
Jacobus Ink Well Co., ink wells and stands	3 25
S. D. Dickinson, two certified copies of the Laws of 1909	3 00
The Democrat, publishing proposals	29 20
Wm. B. Taylor, 200 vendor license badges	96 00
Wm. B. Taylor, 50 porter's license badges	24 00
Wm. B. Taylor, 50 express license badges	24 00
Wm. B. Taylor, 50 hack license badges	24 00
Wm. B. Taylor, 50 musician's license badges	24 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels.	$6 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	363 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	242 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	334 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	91 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	379 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	21 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	281 25
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	40 50
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	40 50
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	40 50
Charles Hvass & Co., 9 dozen brass brooms furnished Street Department	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co., cylinder brooms refilled	27 00
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	23 50
John Zang, supplies furnished Street Department	20 50
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	68 71
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	13 00
Mrs. J. Brock, feed furnished city stable	82 41
Mrs. J. Brock, feed furnished city stable	91 63
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from April 25 to May 25, 1909	791 66
Peter A. Peluso, balance due for removing ashes, garbage, etc., for April, 1909	299 92
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	11 00
A. J. Greenberg, rubber boots furnished Sewer Department	11 00
John Zang, repairs for Sewer Department	1 80
Pay roll, repairing sewers	21 25
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	102 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	5 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	35 00
Pay roll, repairing receiving basins.	98 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	35 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	98 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	85 00
T. O. Wright, one map of State of New Jersey	1 35
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	62 40
The Observer, publishing proposals and ordinances	328 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of May 12 and 17, 1909	96 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	10 45
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms	15 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, caring for lost children	11 50
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	51 90
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	5 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	3 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,459.40 to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of May, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

Report of the Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $6,500 to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of June, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,657.97 to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of May, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,699.30 to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of June, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the following claims and pay rolls, passed by the Council January 27 and February 24, 1909, be and the same are hereby ordered paid:

William Barrett, caring for rooms of Cos. K and M	$15 00
Michael Coughlin, two days' labor in parks	4 00
Harry Rayot, two days' labor in parks	4 00
The Observer, publishing extension of taxes and minutes of January 13, 1909	151 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	83 55
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	68 25
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk's office	101 00
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	47 41
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	76 58
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Street Department	93 90
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Sewer Department	37 68
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Sewer Department	66 72
Eggert Feed Co., feed furnished Sewer Department	94 04
Pay roll to pay salaries of park-keepers, street drivers, etc., for the last half month of January, 1909, amounting to	597 50
Pay roll to pay salaries of park-keeprs, street drivers, etc., for the first half month of February, 1909, amounting to	57950
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Cos. K and M	15 00
William Muller, use of horse and wagon in parks	30 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	60 50
The Observer, stationery furnished Corporation Attorney	22 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	85 65
Pay roll to pay salaries of park-keeprs, street drivers, etc., for the last half month of February, 1909, amounting to	583 50
Pay roll to pay salaries of park-keepers, street drivers etc., for the first half month of March, 1909, amounting to	597 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilman Bucqley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang, and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That Francis Stanton, City Surveyor, be and he is hereby directed to draw plans and specifications for the cleaning and repairing of the box sewer in Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, and present them at the next meeting of the Council, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for bids for doing the said work.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren, Clark and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, be and he is hereby directed to draw plans and specifications for the cleaning and repairing of the sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, and present them at the next meeting of the Council, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for bids for doing the said work.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets and Assessments be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to purchase two (2) horses for use of the Street Department.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets and Assessments be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to purchase a street sweeping machine, for use of the Street Department.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren, Clark, McFeely, Buckley and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Joseph W. Obreiter be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor of the City of Hoboken, subject, however, to his execution of the requisite bond, to be approved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Whereas, Suit was commenced in the Hudson County Circuit Court, by Cavanagh and Heagney, against the Board of Water Commissioners and The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, wherein they claim the sum of eight thousand five hundred and five dollars and eighty-five cents, which amount said parties claim to be due and owing to them for extra work by them done and performed and materials therefor provided for and in connection with their contract for the laying of the thirty-inch water main recently installed, which said suit is now pending and undetermined; and

Whereas, The Board of Water Commissioners have this day reported to the Council that the said Cavanagh and Heagney, as a result of negotiations had between said parties, had proposed that they would accept in full settlement and in satisfaction of their said claim of $8,505.85, the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars; and

Whereas, The Board of Water Commissioners, together with Eugene Smith, City Surveyor and Engineer, who was in charge of said work in question, having duly considered the matter of said claim of $8,505.85 and part proposal of settlement for the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars, as appears from the preambles and resolution adopted by said Water Commissioners at a meeting of said Commissioners held on Tuesday, May 11th, 1909, copy of which has been forwarded to the Council and is now on file with the City Clerk, and they having as appears by said resolution considered and determined that said proposal of settlement for the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars, was and is a fair and reasonable settlement of the claim in question; and the said Board of Water Commissioners are now making application to the Council that a warrant be ordered drawn to the order of said Commissioners for the said sum of six thousand five hundred dollars in settlement of said claim and of said suit, and the Council being of the opinion that such proposed settlement is a fair and reasonable one,

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn by the City Clerk on the City Treasurer, payable to the order of the Water Commissioners for the sum of sixty-five hundred dollars, said sum to be used by said Commissioners in the full settlement and satisfaction of the aforesaid claim of Cavanagh and Heagney, and in settlement of their aforesaid suit now pending in the Hudson County Circuit Court, upon said parties executing and delivering to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, and the Board of Water Commissioners, a proper release, and also a discontinuance of the aforesaid suit, said release to be first approved by the Corporation Attorney.

Councilman Buckley moved to adopt the resolution.

Councilman Foley moved to amend that the resolution be laid on the table.

The motion to amend to lay on the table was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Nays—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent None.

The original motion to adopt the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of $234.72, in favor of the Board of Water Commissioners, to pay various claims for repairs in the laying of the new 30-inch water mains.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund in favor of the following named persons, to pay salaries in full as Tax Commissioners for the year 1909:

Fred. W. Grube	$100 00
Dominick J. Livelli	100 00
John Schuemann	100 00
Robert S. Pallehner	100 00
Antonio Monaco	100 00
Antonio Sica	100 00
P. J. Leonard	100 00
John A. Cross	100 00
Harry J. Stone	100 00
Philip Steuerwald	100 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for three hundred and twenty-five dollars ($325) in favor of Dominick J. Livelli, Secretary of the Board of Tax Commissioners, for clerk hire and typewritten copies of appropriations for said Board.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,657.97, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whelan, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of May, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,699.30, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whelan, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of June, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,459.40, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the police force for the last half month of May, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,500, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the police force for the first half month of June, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of May, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	26 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	10 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00

Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	26 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	33 17
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half month of June, 1909.

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
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John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
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Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
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Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries in full for the month of May, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician	$83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney	150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue	125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue	100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall	75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor	116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks	100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct	75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court	125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00
M. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk	100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner	166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper	60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk	116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor	208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00

Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court.	75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk.....	125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder	208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner	125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector	125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper	60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician	83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector	100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer	125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys....	41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court	26 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court.....	250 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED SESSION.

A meeting held for the purpose of considering the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Friday, May 28, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

City Clerk's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., May 28, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit the proof of publication and posting of the notices in the matter of the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

The following persons appeared before the Council and spoke in favor of granting the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company a franchise:

H. C. Schneider and John Keresey.

Councilman Gonzales moved that all those being opposed to granting the franchise be given the floor.

Councilman Wren moved to amend that all those in favor of granting the franchise be heard first.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales and Zang.

Absent—None.

Counselor Julius Lichtenstein appeared before the Council and spoke in favor of granting the franchise to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company.

Counselor W. D. Edwards appeared for the Public Service Corporation, and stated that he was not prepared to answer Counselor Lichtenstein's statements, and requested the Council to adjourn the hearing until a later day.

Councilman Wren moved that the consideration of the petition and the meeting be adjourned to meet on Monday, June 14, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m., and the Clerk be directed to continue the publication of the same.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Bahrenburg.

Declining to vote—Councilmen Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, June 9, 1909.

The Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilmen Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED SESSION.

A meeting held for the purpose of considering the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday afternoon, June 14, 1909.

The Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

The Clerk stated the first business in order would be the election of a Chairman pro tem.

Councilman Wren nominated Councilman Buckley as Chairman pro tem.

Adopted.

The following report from the Committee on Lamps and Gas was presented and read:

Your Committee, to whom was referred the petition for a franchise. made by the Citizens' Light Heat and Power Company, do hereby recommend the granting of such franchise, and respectfully recommend the introduction of this ordinance, and in connection with fixing the terms and provisions thereof, also recommend the passage of this resolution.

BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
THOMAS J. WREN.

An ordinance granting permission and authority to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company to erect poles to sustain necessary wires and fixtures, and to lay and use for the purposes for which said company was organized, underground subways or conduits beneath all of the streets, avenues and alleys in the City of Hoboken, and to string and lay electric or other wires and conductors thereon and therein for the term of twenty years.

Be it resolved, That the City Clerk be and he hereby is instructed to request hte officials and counsel of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company to confer with the law department of the city and the Committee on Lamps and Gas on the matter of drafting and completing the terms and provisions of the ordinance granting a franchise to said company, which has been introduced.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Whereas, The contract between the City of Hoboken and the Public Service Corporation for the lighting of the streets and public places in the city will expire June 14th, 1909; and

Whereas, Bids were invited by the Mayor and Council for proposals for the lighting of said streets for the terms of one, three and five years respectively; and

Whereas, The only bid submitted in compliance with the advertisement for such proposals for the aforesaid terms was that of the Public Service Corporation; and

Whereas, Inasmuch as within on year's time there will be erected a plant for the furnishing of electric light to the city by the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a company recently organized by numerous prominent and public spirited citizens, it is inadvisable to enter into any lighting contract with said Public Service Corporation beyond the one year's time within which said plant can be built and be in readiness to supply the city with electric light; and

Whereas, The Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company have petitioned the Mayor and Council for a franchise for twenty years to furnish such electric light to the city, and it is the sense of the Mayor and Council that such application is meritorious and that such franchise should be granted that company, provided it erect a proper plant within a proper time; and

Whereas, That company can erect its plant within one year's time and can then be in readiness to supply electric light to the city; be ti

Resolved, That full and ample opportunity be granted said Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company to construct its plant and place itself in readiness to supply the City of Hoboken with electric light, and that in the meanwhile further action upon the bid of the Public Service Corporation be deferred, and that the City Clerk notify the Public Service Corporation that until action by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, it will only pay that company for the electric light it may furnish to the city at the rate of eighty dollars per light, and that bills for any larger rate or price will not be recognized.

THOS. J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee on Lamps and Gas.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

Counselor W. D. Edwards appeared before the Council and spoke in behalf of the Public Service Corporation and against the granting of a contract to the Citizen's Light, Heat and Power Company.

Councilman Gonzales presented a resolution and appealed from a decision of the Chair for its adoption.

Acting Chairman Buckley declared the resolution out of order.

The decision of the Chair was sustained by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Chairman Whelan.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, June 23, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on May 26, 1909; the adjourned session held on May 28, 1909; the stated session held on June 9, 1909, and the adjourned session held on June 14, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for the cleaning and repairing of the sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers:

From Thomas Cavanagh:

I will contract to do all work as specified for the following price or prices:

Sewer to be repaired and arch rebuilt, about 350 lineal feet, $1.90.

Sewer to be cleaned, about 350 lineal feet, 90 cents.

Repairing, 400 square yards, $1.35.

From William A. Connell:

I will contract to furnish all labor and material for the following price or prices:

Repairing and rebuilding arch of sewer, $6.45 per lineal foot.

Cleaning sewer, 35 cents.

Repaving, 97 cents.

From Henry Waddington:

I will contract to do all work and furnish all material for the following price or prices:

Per lineal foot of sewer rebuilt, $4.

Per lineal foot of sewer cleaned, 60 cents.

Per square yard of paving relaid, 60 cents.

The following proposals for the cleaning and repairing of the sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers:

From Thomas Cavanagh:

I will contract to do all work as specified at the following price or prices:

Sewer to be repaired and arch rebuilt, about 500 lineal feet, $1.90.

Sewer to be celaned, 500 lineal feet, 90 cents per foot.

Repairing, 550 square yards, $1.35 per square yard.

From William A. Connell:

I will contract to furnish all labor and material for the following price or prices:

Repairing and rebuilding arch sewer, $6.45 per lineal foot.

Cleaning sewer, 35 cents per lineal foot.

Repaving, etc., 97 cents.

From Henry Waddington:

I will contract to do all work and furnish all material for the following price or prices:

Per lineal foot of sewer rebuilt, $4.

Per lineal foot of sewer cleaned, 55 cents.

Per squart yard of paving relaid, 60 cents.

The following proposals for the cleaning and raising of the box sewer in Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, were presented, read and referred to the Committe on Sewers:

From Thomas Cavanagh:

I will contract to do all work as per specifications for the following price or prices:

Remove pavement, excavate and refill for 505 lineal feet of sewer, 25 cents.

Remove top of sewer, clean and flush about 505 lineal feet, per foot, 90 cents.

Raising and making all necessary repairs to about 505 lineal feet, $5 per foot.

Relay pavement, about 505 square yards, $1.35 per square yard.

From William A. Connell:

I will contract to furnish labor and material for the following price or prices:

For removal of Belgian block pavement, excavation and all refilling necessary, at 95 cents per lineal foot of sewer.

For removal of top of sewer, cleaning and flushing, at 55 cents per lineal foot of sewer.

For raising and repairing sewer, $1.90 per lineal foot of sewer.

For relaying Belgian block pavement, 40 cents per lineal foot of sewer.

From Thomas Henry Kennelly:

I will contract to do all the work on said sewer and furnish all material, for the following price or prices:

Remove block, excavate and fill, per foot, $1.

Remove top of sewer and clean same, per foot, $1.20.

Make all repairs to sewer, per foot, $1.50.

Repave sewer, per foot, 15 cents.

Communication from the Board of Trade, relative to Willow avenue, from Fourteenth to Seventeenth street, recommending that it be filled in and repaved, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Board of Trade, requesting that certain streets that are to be repaved, that it be delayed until conduits are

laid, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Board of Trade, requesting that when Washington street be repaved, that it be paved with specification block, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Board of Trade, opposing the expenditure of moneys for sewer investigation until certain outlets are opened up, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers and Street Commissioner.

Communication from August Schell, requesting the Council to grant him an exempt fireman's certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Public Service Corporation, relative to a resolution passed by the Council to furnish arc lights at the rate of $80 per year, said company agreeing to furnish them at the rate of $85 per year until a renewal of contract, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas, in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

Communication from the Public Service Corporation, relative to a contract for street lighting, at the rate of $75 per light for five years, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

Communication from the Veteran Association, Company D, Ninth Regiment, requesting a donation for the proper observance of Memorial Day, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Fidelity and Casualty Company, requesting that they have the boiler in the City Hall internally examined, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from Mrs. F. Landolt, protesting against the assessment of property of 1105 and 1107 Madison street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from John Griffin, counsel for the Hinde & Dauch Paper Company, relative to their assessment on the improvement of Adams street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries and Corporation Attorney.

Petition from the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, Morris and Essex Railroad Company and Hoboken Ferry Company, relative to assessment on their property on Fourteenth street, was presented, read and on motion of Councilman Buckley be referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries, in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney, Collector of Revenue and Comptroller, with power to calculate the proportion of tax to be paid by said companies.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Communication from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, relative to passing an ordinance granting them a franchise for street lighting, etc., was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

The following applications for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Michael Addesso, Louis Krowitz, E. H. Flohr, B. J. McGauley, Martin D. Rurode, Charles Reymann, Alfred Vezzetti, Albert S. Schiller, Martin Weiss, Joseph F. Sullivan, Amedio Manetti, Charles Schweickert, E. Harder, Charles P. Garbarino, Podesta & Rossi, Louis Fricke, H. Stelling, Louis Blendermann, Leonard Luizzi, Jerome Buck, Charles Kemmerich, William Buchholz, J. H. Bullwinkel, Herman Mutschler, Herman Hasche, Anthony A. Montelione, Henry Westphal, Fritz Zander, William Heinrich, Fred. Schmoldt, Alfred G. Greiner, Stefen Jadrosich & Son, Patrick J. Barry, Henry Fengler, August Doppe, William Schaak, James Belmonte, H. Zeissig, Michael Pantoliano, Domenico Protomastro, Ottmar Hopfner, William Meissner, Dominick Laus, Herman Berndt, Herman Hutz, August Moos, John Wilshusen, Joseph Egner, Bernard Buck, George Malone, John F. Vezzetti, August Moos, Walter E. Uslar, Franz Klotz, Michael Cowan, John Marcenaro, Louis Valla, Abe Lillien, Thomas J. McGrath, William P. Verdon, Michael W. Bretzke, John Sheridan, Jacob Breich, George Foretich, George Vorrath, Julius Manz, John Schuemann, William Dollard, Otto Aeachbach, Adam Dietzel, Eugene Vorberger, William Bischoff, Fred'k Hoffmann, Anthony Capelli, E. Buchholz, John H. Heitmann, Charles Specht, Franz Buckel, Emil Tirgarth, Martin Daab, J. Matthiesen, Jacob Glaser, Specht & Co., George Geiger, Charles A. Zimmermann, Antonio Garibaldi, Dondero & Lovrinovich, Scheland & Von Harten, Isaac Schnieweis, W. V. Timourou, Dennis McDermott, William J. Klie, Paul Ehrengruber, Fred Albers, Gustav Berger, William Costello, F. J. Kopp, Palu Teschner, William Brandes, Antonio Padavano, Bernhard Borgstede, John Gloeckler, Fritz Buehler, Andrew Lamprecht, August Droste, J. E. Joyce, Henry Tietjen, Oscar Driesbach, Meyer Bros., Ernst Fischer, William C. Hagen, George Gonzales.

For transfe rof retail liquor licenses: Alex. Walbohm, John Eitzen, Peter Liberty, Albert Schocke, Henry Horstmann, Paul Capelli, Christoph Grigat, Henry Asmussen, Frank Koziolek.

For beer bottlers' licenses: Lembeck & Betz, John D. Schroeder, Jacob Ruppert, William Peter Brewing Co., Beadleston & Woerz, L. Schroeder, Brauer & Oshrin, S. Feldma, Chris Wahlis, Obermeyer & Liebmann, Jacob Galler.

For concert hall licenses: Adam Dietzel, Edward I. Reich, Oscar Driesbach, Albert S. Schiller, Charles Reinking.

For auctioneers' licenses: C. A. Tissot, Morris Appel.

For pawn brokers' licenses: Daniel Cohn, David Mayer.

For moving pictures: Frank P. Daley, F. C. Roesch, Charles Guilloud.

For junk dealers' licenses: Gaetano Miglini, Sam Deturo, Amedeo Guzzi, Carmine Laino, Louis Engler, Ernst Lemann, Sam Deturo.

For express licenses: Richard S. Daly, Joseph Monto, New Jersey Transfer and Baggage Express, Charles Hansen.

For peddlers' licenses: Guiseppe Alfano, John Schneider, Charles Meyer, Oreste Passo, John Meyer, J. Ohmstein, John Schneider, Edward Provitere, Giulo Curci, Luigi Scarro, Fred Miller, John Barnitt, Marco Aurigenna, Henry Meyerdiercks, William Gates, George Sass. Guiseppe Sanfilippi, Adolph Fischer, Alfonso Di Sapio, John Scott, G. Meuscati, F. Sagistano, George Papas, Constant Athanasiadi, V. Cortice, J. Hahn, M. Trochtenberg, G. Gariulo, V. Sorrendino, John Delle Fave, P. Yaccarine, S. Attanasio, Nick Macanew, R. Marino, A. Lanza, Michael Bofis, M. Dela Fave, C. Meissner, J. Provitere, Mike Vilusie, J. Omstein, M. Kreestie, A. Saverio, J. Greenberg, J. Lombardi, P. Sebastiano, J. Lombardi.

For porter's license: Peter Planert.

For second-hand dealer's license: Theodor Moeller.

For hack license: Henry Meyerdiercks.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for April, 1909....	$31 65
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	18 90
Carey Bros., insurance on Public Pound	17 64
Henry Lohmann, Jr., to pay checkers, etc., employed by the Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes...	785 25

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Armory	$5 87
Howell Bros., supplies furnished Police Headquarters	35 00
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	22 75
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at City Hall	37 12
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Police Headquarters	21 35
George Pinner, glazing at public buildings	31 80
George Malone, services as Bath Keeper from October 1, 1908, to June 1, 1909	160 00
Daniel Wallace, plumbing work at Armory	16 00
A. W. Meyer, supplies furnished Second Precinct	10 00
Columbian Insecticide Co., disinfectants, etc., furnished Second Precinct	99 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels.	6 00
Johnston Bros., repairing gas pipes, etc., at Armory	33 21
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	17 54
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at City Hall	24 93
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at Church Square Park	6 92
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	98 72
John Stuart, material and labor on Public Bath	66 50
John Stuart, raising public bath, etc.	93 92
W. B. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks	10 43
W. B. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks	72 75
W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of sweeping powder	16 00
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks	7 00
Tietje & Christ, supplies and repairs at City Hall	3 00
Alex. T. McCabe, electrical repairs at Second Precinct	47 85
John Landrigan, one American flag for Hudson Square Park	14 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	20 00
R. Kirchgessner, grand stand decorations for Memorial Day	10 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture, etc., furnished Assessor's office	93 90
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture, etc., furnished Assessor's office	65 00

Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture, etc., furnished Police Headquarters	72 70
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., supplies and repairs at Police Headquarters	42 60
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., one book section furnished Chief of Police	7 25

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	$92 54
Charles Hvass & Co., nine dozen bass push brooms with scraper	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	7 00
Charles Hvass & Co., machine brooms refilled	40 50
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	31 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, etc., from May 25 to June 25, 1909	791 66
Pay roll, cleaning streets	354 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	288 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	293 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	219 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	77 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	38 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	35 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	30 25
Pay roll, repairing plumber openings	17 50

To the Committee on Sewers:

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	$12 00
J. M. Patterson, two pairs hip boots	13 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	22 00
Frank B. Hinternhoff, 1 1-4 barrels of Portland cement	2 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	89 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	102 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	100 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basns	98 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Evening Journal, publishing playground bond ordinance	$126 00
The Evening Journal, advertising proposals for $125,000 repavement bonds	27 30
The Evening Journal, advertising proposals for building public comfort and storage house at Elysian Park	27 30
The Evening Journal, advertising proposals for improvements at Elysian Park	27 30
The Evening Journal, advertising notice of objections	13 86
The Evening Journal, advertising proposals for improvement of Madison street	29 40
The Observer, publishing minutes of June 14, 1909	21 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of June 9, 1909	4 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of May 26 and May 28, 1909	219 00
The Observer, publishing proposals, etc	140 60
The Observer, publishing ordinances and proposals	168 10
The Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	57 75
The Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	28 60
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	47 90
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	55 85
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	88 20
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	28 55
The Inquirer, publishing proposals	26 00
The Inquirer, publishing proposals and ordinance	
Financial Record, advertising $125,000 repavement bonds	21 60
T. F. Callahan, stationery furnished Street Commissioner	25 50
The Democrat, publishing ordinance	91 80
The Democrat, publishing proposals	48 20
Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing bonds	55 00
William B. Dana Co., advertising repavement bonds sale	30 00

To the Committee on Lamps & Gas:

Public Service Corp., street lighting, etc., for May, 1909	$2,327 75
Public Service Corp., electric curernt supplied for public buildings for May 1909	254 92
Public Service Corp., gas consumed in public buildings for May, 1909	38 60

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	$15 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and caring for lost children	12 25
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	68 25

To the Committee on Alms:

F. and L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	$21 00
H. J. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	20 00
H. Schraeder, groceries furnished the poor	21 00

Maloney Bros, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
J. Rehm, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Charles Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	40 00
James Barachi, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
H. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
F. Milstrey, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
H. Stuhrmann, groceries furnished the poor	57 00
A. Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	20 00
A. W. Mwyer, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Eckhoff & Co., groceries furnished the poor	15 00
F. Lilienthal, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fred Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
G. C. Bruhn, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
August Finkenstadt, groceries furnished the poor	41 00
M. Bodem, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
I. Hirschmann, shoes furnished poor.	2 50
M. Handle, meals furnished poor...	3 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children	10 50
Mary Ross, care of homeless	3 00
J. Wedgan, care of homeless	9 00
George Groot, care of homeless	10 00
C. Grube, care of homeless	7 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless..	12 00
A. H. Totten, coach hire for Police Matron	8 00
Emil LeFevre, moving poor	4 00
John Schmalz, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
James McLaughlin, burial of poor..	11 75
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor	152 50
St. Mary's Hospital, board and treatment of sick and indigent poor...	1,574 00
St. Mary's Hospital, board and treatment of sick and indigent poor...	1,334 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases.	1,332 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases.	1,207 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases.	944 00

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Hoboken, N. J., June 9, 1909.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The need for the erection of an inland bath building in such part of our city as will be productive of the greatest benefit has ben repeatedly pointed out by me and is constantly agitated by our citizens and the Board of Trade.

I beg to call your attention to Chapter 234 of the laws of 1902, which permits a bond issue of fifty thousand dollars for the purpose of erecting such free public bath, and I respectfully urge your honorable body to pass such resolution and ordinance as are required under the privileges of that act.

Very respectfully,

GEORGE H. STEIL,

Mayor.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., June 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to advise you that the Supreme Court has rendered, at this June term of said court, an opinion sustaining my contention that the newly acquired property of Stevens Institute of Technology, used by them as an athletic field, etc., is not entitled to be exempt from taxation.

The trustees of Stevens Institute of Technology claimed exemption from taxation for their said lands, and the Board of Assessors requested my opinion upon the matter. I advised the Board of Assessors that the said lands were not entitled to be exempted from taxation, and said lands were thereupon assessed. The trustees of Stevens Institute of Technology refused to pay said assessment and sued out of the Supreme Court a writ of certiorari directed to Richard Bowes, Collector of Taxes, and the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken; testimony was thereafter taken, and the matter was argued before the Supreme Court on February 23, 1909,

and said court decided the matter on June 7, 1909, favorably to the city. So much of the lands in question whereon the Morton Laboratory is situate is to be exempted from taxation, but the remainder of the property is to be assessed for taxes by our local assessors as other property is assessed.

Respectfully,
JNO. J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., June 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—Our local assessors assessed for taxes of 1908 the property of the Hoboken Warehouse and Steamship Connecting Company, and also the property of the Hoboken Manufacturers' Railroad Company, located in our city. Both of said companies denied the right of the city of Hoboken to assess their said properties, and insisted that the same was assessable only by the State Board of Assessors. Application was made to the Supreme Court to determine the question as to whether the said property should be assessed by our local assessors or by the State Board of Assessors. Testimony was taken, and the president of our Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes testified that said property was regarded by our local assessors as railroad property and that the same should be assessed by the State Board of Assessors. The matter was then presented to the court, and, there being no insistment by our local assessors that said properties were not properly assessable by the State Board of Assessors, the court cancelled the said assessment for the year 1908 made by the city of Hoboken.

JNO. J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., June 21, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—In reply to your query as to the operation of Chapter 39, Laws of 1909, relating to the salaries of District Court Judges and Clerks, I would state that, pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid law, the salary of the Judge of the District Court in this city is fixed at $3,000, and the salary of the Clerk of said court is fixed at $1,500. The aforesaid law was approved April 17, 1909, and then became operative. Consequently the Judge and Clerk of the Hoboken District Court are each entitled to and should be paid the salaries prescribed by the aforesaid law commencing on the date of the approval of the law, to wit, April 17, 1909.

Respectfully,
JNO. J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following report of the Board of School Estimate was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

BOARD OF SCHOOL ESTIMATE, DISTRICT OF HOBOKEN, N. J.

Hoboken, N. J., May 28, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, N. J.:

Gentlemen—This is to certify that at a meteing of the Board of School Estimate, held on Friday, May 28, 1909, the following amount specified was fixed and determined as the amount necessary for the use and maintenance of the public schools of the school district of Hoboken for the ensuing year ending June 30, 1910:

For teachers' salaries..	$264,175 11	
For coal and wood...	8,000 00	
Total for teachers' salaries and fuel...		$272,175 11
Janitors and officials..	$27,620 00	
Supplies, books and stationery	18,500 00	
Janitors' supplies, etc.	3,000 00	
Evening school.....	2,500 00	
Water	1,400 00	
Insurance	2,800 00	
Gas and electric light.	1,750 00	
Telephones	400 00	
High and Grammar Commencement	600 00	
Lectures	500 00	
Piano care	250 00	
Clock care	350 00	
Printing	2,250 00	
Rent	1,500 00	
Repairs and furniture.	28,450 00	
Medical inspection ...	3,000 00	
Manual Training, Nos. 8 and 9 Schools.....	2,500 00	
		97,370 00
Total amount required.....		$369,545 11
Less amount apportioned by State		237,154 82
To be raised by taxation.....		$132,390 29

We would therefore ask your Honorable Body to appropriate the amount specified and required, as aforesaid, in the same manner as other appropriations are made.

By order of the Board of School Estimate
GEORGE H. STEIL,
President.

CHAS. ZANG,
RICHARD F. BUCKLEY,
GEORGE LANKERING,
JOHN W. HOWELL.

Attest:
WM. A. KERR,
Secretary.

Communication from the Water Commissioners, relative to the issuance of $22,000 water bonds for the purpose of the laying of the 16-inch main in Fifteenth and Madison streets, wa spresented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following report from Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, was presented, read and ordered on file:

Office Collector of Revenue.
Hoboken, N. J., May 25th, 1909.

To the Hon. Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year commencing 12 m., January 30th, 1909, and ending 12 m., May 3, 1909:

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of Taxes:		
Arrears of taxes of 1903, principal and interest	230 57	
Arrears of taxes of 1904, principal and interest	212 50	
Arrears of taxes of 1905, principal and interest	483 60	
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest	720 96	
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest	2,405 00	
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest	83,625 34	$87,678 55
Assessments:		
Madison street, paving, etc., between Fifth and Eighth streets, principal and interest	387 55	
Madison street, grading, etc., between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, principal ..	2,177 20	2,564 75
		$90,243 30

RECAPITULATION.

Total arrears of taxes	$87,678 55	
Total assessments	2,564 75	$90,243 30

Paid City Treasurer
James Smith 90,243 30

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

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Office Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, N. J., May 25th, 1909.

oT the Hon. Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your honorable body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the fiscal year commencing 12 M. May 4th, 1908, and ending 12 M. May 3rd, 1909.

RECEIPTS.

Arrears of taxes:		
Arrears of taxes of 1903, principal and interest	$230 57	
Arrears of taxes of 1904, principal and interest	875 57	
Arrears of taxes of 1905, principal and interest	1,640 99	
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest	3,788 34	
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest	111,285 95	
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest	83,625 34	$201,446 76
Annual tax:		
Annual tax of 1908, principal...		715,893 32
Franchase tax:		
Franchise tax of 1907, principal..		16,842 56
Interest:		
Interest from bank.....		46 63
Assessments:		
Fifteenth street paving, etc., between Willow avenue and Hudson Boulevard, principal and interest	$1,137 24	
Madison street paving, between Fifth and Eighth streets, principal and interest..	2,349 22	
Adams street sewer, between Eighth and Ninth streets, principal and interest..	2,840 22	
Clinton street paving, etc., between Elev-		

enth and Twelfth streets, principal and interest.....	123 75	
Adams street paving, etc., between Sixth and Eighth streets, principal and interest	847 63	
Madison street grading, etc., between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, principal...	2,177 20	
		9,475 26
Total		$943,704 53

RECAPITULATION.

Total arrears of taxes.	$201,446 76	
Total annual tax of 1908	715,893 32	
Total franchise tax of 1907	16,842 56	
Total interest from bank	46 63	
Total assessments ...	9,475 26	
		$943,704 53
Paid City Treasurer James Smith		942,704 53

From March 18th, 1884, to May 3rd, 1909, inclusive, I have collected and turned over to the City Treasurer the fololwing amounts:

March 18, 1884, to May 7, 1888.	$1,629,002 32
May 7, 1888, to May 4, 1889...	446,181 28
May 4, 1889, to May 5, 1890...	491,922 42
May 5, 1890, to May 4, 1891...	527,558 26
May 4, 1891, to May 2, 1892...	641,925 73
May 2, 1892, to April 30, 1893.	632,881 84
May 1, 1893, to May 7, 1894...	567,875 90
May 7, 1894, to May 6, 1895...	584,842 83
May 6, 1895, to May 4, 1896...	630,659 35
May 4, 1896, to May 3, 1897...	566,100 57
May 3, 1897, to May 2, 1898...	670,367 47
May 2, 1898, to April 30, 1899.	681,948 82
April 30, 1899, to May 7, 1900.	669,335 16
May 7, 1900, to May 6, 1901...	688,109 43
May 6, 1901, to May 5, 1902...	653,381 53
May 5, 1902, to May 4, 1903...	724,217 84
May 4, 1903, to May 2, 1904...	658,917 43
May 2, 1904, to April 30, 1905.	662,101 59
April 30, 1905, to May 7, 1906.	886,031 01
May 7, 1906, to May 6, 1907...	971,429 43
May 6, 1907, to May 4, 1908...	813,828 05
May 4, 1908, to May 3, 1909...	943,704 53
	$15,742,32279

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

The following report from the Board of Fire Commissioners was presented, read and ordered on file:

Hoboken, N. J., June 14, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—The Board of Fire Commissioners respectfully present to your honorable body their report for the year ending April 30, 1909.

The following is a statement of the receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1909:

1908—		
May 1, to cash balance in bank (Trust Co. of N. J.) for outstanding obligations	$2,094.44	
To error in drawing warrants	.36	
	$2,094.80	
By cash, outstanding obligations contracted prior to May 1, 1908	1,342.80	
To balance for year 1907-08		$752.00
To appropriations, 1908-09		127,732.00
To oil and fireworks permits		349.00
To sale of old material..		88.12
To fines imposed and deducted from salaries..		101.54
		$129,022.66
By salaries and pensions		$102,916.85
By feed and shoeing horses		5,990.93
By supplies and ordinary repairs		4,494.33
By printing, stationery, advertising and publishing minutes		1,144.85
By gas and electric light		712.85
By coal and wood.....		1,604.92
By water		264.76
By two thousand feet of fire hose		2,000.00
By one fire alarm box...		.....
By removing manure from houses		100.00
By incidentals		67.90
By telephone tolls		15.10
By horses		717.50
By one combination wagon		1,975.00
By six scaling ladders and life belts		294.00
By smoke helmets		198.00
By hose jackets		150.00
By Paid Firemen's Pension Fund of Hoboken		538.66

By general account, as per resolution of the Board, April 30, 1909.		1,159.52
By cash balance in bank (Trust Co. of N. J.), transferred to salary account for year ending April 30, 1910, as per request made on Tax Commissioners..	$2,300.00	
To meet all outstanding obligations contracted for and ordered prior to May 1, 1909	2,377.49	
		4,677.49
		$129,022.66

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES WHALEN,
President.

Attest:
D. A. HAGGERTY,
Clerk.

The following report of the Free Public Library Trustees was presented, read and ordered on file:

Hoboken, N. J., May 1st, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—The nineteenth annual report of the Trustees of the Free Public Library, covering the several departments as detailed in the reports of the Treasurer and the Librarian, is herewith respectfully submitted, as required by law, and for the information and consideration of your honorable body.

Referring particularly to some of the more important items of the year's work, you will observe, after meeting all the necessary wants of the library, including very important repairs to the building, such as removing and replastering, painting and decorating the north wall, decorating all class rooms of the industrial department and several rooms of the library portion of the building, and the installation of a double pipe system for the steam heating plant, there still remains a balance to the credit of the library of $10,437.26, against which there are several unsettled claims amounting to about $1,400, leaving the actual balance over $9,000.

The special feature of the library work for the year was the holding of the second exhibition of oil paintings, which was conducted on a much larger scale, consisting of 119 oil paintings, principally by living representative American artists. Many of the paintings were lent by the artists and many by local residents, among whom were Mr. John E. Linde, Mr. Charles Schreyvogel, Mr. M. J. Stack, Mr. Merman H. Pruser, Mr. August Bremer, Mr. S. H. Horgan of Hoboken ,and Mr. Herman Simon of West Hoboken. The exhibition was collected and arranged by a committee of citizens consisting of Messrs. John E. Linde, Charles Schreyvogel, Carl Rungius, George C. Girr, Alfred Kaegebehn, William H. Stuhr, Stephen H. Horgan, A. J. Demarest, William Ritchel, A. A. Stecker, C. J. Saenger, Dr. T. R. Paganelli, William H. Dannheimer, Hon. George H. Steil and Mr. Ferdinand Kaegebehn, ex-officio.

The exhibition was opened on the evening of Monday, February 8th, and continued to the 20th, during which time it was viewed and enjoyed by more than 12,000 persons, many of whom came from New York and Jersey City, and considered from this point was a most popular success.

A question as to the legal right of the Trustees to expend library funds for this purpose has been raised by some of the Trustees, but since exhibitions of this character have become a part of the work of many libraries of this State it is presumed that there will be found no legal objection to the payment of the necessary expenses of the exhibition.

The term of Trustee Ferdinand Kaegebehn expired and he was reappointed for a full term of five years, expiring on December 31st, 1913.

Again there is reported an increase in the several departments of library work. During the year there were added to the collection of books 4,107 volumes, of which 280 were donated. Deducting the books removed for all causes, 2,066, we have a net gain for the year of 1,940, and a total of 37,996 in the library on May 1st.

Of the books added 1,936 were of a general reference character, and many were of a purely reference nature and were added to the reference department. Of the books removed 1,866 were fiction, and many of these were replaced. Of the added books 280 were in the German language, and of those removed 121 were German, leaving a total of 5,356 in this section.

There were 4,256 books rebound, 282 magazines and 25 newspapers bound, and 5,328 books repaired at the library.

The number of books taken out for home reading was 149,724, an increase over last year of 5,099. The number consulted in the reference department, so far as a count could be kept, was 12,575, making the total use, so far as recorded, 162,299. Of these 15,752 were German; 50,044 were to juvenile readers.

The work of the reference department is constantly increasing and at times the accommodations are inadequate and much overtaxed. During the year information was looked up and prepared on 1,776 different subjects.

In the reading rooms there are on the tables for the use of the patrons, of whom there were last year 70,358, 107 monthly magazines, 49 weekly and 26 daily papers.

Membership cards were issued to 2,424 new applicants, of whom 38 were teachers. Duplicate and lost cards were replaced to the number of 2,875, making the total membership 9,998.

The new supplement, on which a local printer has beeen at work for the past two years, is just about completed and will fill a long felt want in this direction.

All of which is respectfully submitted in behalf of the Trustees of the Free Public Library.

GEORGE H. STEIL,
President.

THOS. B. HATFIELD,
Secretary.

Report of Recorder McGovern, on collection of fines for the month of May, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following report of the Playground Commissioners was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Honorable Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—Some weeks ago we presented a request to the oBard of Tax Commissioners for an appropriation, a copy of which we hereto annexed.

In making up this request, we only included such amounts as would be absolutely necessary for us to have in order to properly take care of the work which we intended to do for the coming year. We so informed the members of the Board of Tax Commissioners, but they only allowed us $2,040, which sum is entirely inadequate.

We are about to have the title to the Jefferson street property taken in the name of the city, plans are prepared for a recreation centre building, and we intended to proceed with the work of constructing the building at once. Because of the appropriation which was made we are very much in doubt as to whether it would be advisable under the circumstances to proceed with this work, because after it is completed there will not be sufficient funds in our possession to take care of the building and grounds as we properly should.

If it is within the power of your Honorable Body to increase the allowance which was made us to the amount requested, you will enable us to accomplish results during this year which otherwise it will be impossible for us to do.

Respectfully yours,
JULIUS LICHTENSTEIN,
Seccretary Board of Playground Commissioners.

Dated June 23, 1909.

Hoboken, N. J., April 6th, 1909.

To the Honorable the Board of Tax Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, N. J.

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Playground Commission, held on April 5, 1909, after careful consideration it was determined that the following amounts specified were necessary for the maintenance and care of the playgrounds of the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, for the ensuing fiscal year, and would respectfully ask your honorable body to appropriate the amount specified for the said purpose, viz:

Supervisor (and clerk)		$1,200 00
Fourth Ward Playground:		
Custodian	$600 00	
Janitor	360 00	
Electric light	300 00	
Towels, soap, etc.	250 00	
Coal and wood	200 00	
Stationery	50 00	
Sewing instructor	200 00	
Renewals	200 00	
Water	300 00	
		2,460 00
Cricket Grounds:		
Custodian		600 00
General expenses		240 00
Total amount of appropriation asked for		$4,500 00

Respectfuly submitted,
A. F. DEMAREST,
CAROLINE B. ALEXANDER,
JULIUS LICHTENSTEIN,
Playground Commission of the City of Hoboken, N. J.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Johnston Bros., repairing toilets and gas fixtures in Armory	$18 87
Johnston Bros., repairs at City Hall	41 86
Fagan Iron Works, repairing railing at City Hall	5 20
Fagan Iron Works, 12 grates for Hudson Square Park	42 00
William Phillips, putting up awnings at Second Precinct	8 00
Frank Becht, attending clock in City Hall tower	10 00

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Armory	11 52
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished City Hall and Second Precinct	18 70
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Second Precinct	54 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished City Hall	8 30
J. Aronson, glass furnished City Hall and Second Precinct	17 00
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Chief of Police office	3 50
Bernard McGovern, plumbing work at Second Precinct	31 03
Billington & Bishop, supplies furnished City Hall	17 15
George Pinner, glass furnished City Hall and parks	44 35
Samuel Becker, glass furnihsed at Armory	10 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished parks	13 12
Thos. Bowes & Bros., plumbing work at City Hall and Second Precinct	38 75
Frank Cordts, repairs at City Hall	1 00
Chas. Weber, repairing map in Collector's office	75
Chas. Weber, mounting map	2 50
Tietje & Christ, one dozen chairs furnished Second Precinct	51 00
Daniel Wallace, repairs at Armory	21 35
Daniel Wallace, repairs at Armory	16 45
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	7 15
Robert J. Rath, enclosing fountains in parks	41 78
Ferdinand Eichner, three cans of Japalac	2 25
J. M. Patterson, repairing flag	2 75
Walter Mulford, ice furnished ambulance house for season 1908	49 60
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall for the quarter ending December, 1908	78 12
James Maloney, supplies furnished City Hall	1 10
William Meyer, lining closet in Assessors' office	12 50
J. Aronson, glass furnished City Hall	3 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., supplies furnished Recorder's Court	3 20
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	108 00
Frank Cordts, repairing chair	75
James J. Siegers, work performed for Committee on Public Grounds and Buildigns	21 00
J. E. Kenna, keys furnished and repairs to locks	15 00
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Elysian Park	72 50
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Church Square Park	51 00
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Hudson Square Park	25 50
Bobbink & Atkins, plants furnished Hudson Square Park	61 50
Hermann Hoppe & Sons, supplies furinshed parks	3 15
Hermann Hoppe & Sons, repairs for parks	2 15
William R. Wilson, plumbing repairs at City Hall	6 25
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., repairs to furniture	4 25
M. Hendberg, six bushels of grass seed	36 00
Louis Spangenberg, supplies furnished public bath	2 95
Public Service Sorporation, street lighting for March, 1909	2,298 04
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for December, 1908	2,275 00
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for November, 1908	2,280 26
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for February, 1909	2,280 26
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for January, 1909	2,275 00
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for April, 1909	2,314 15
William Babcock, plants furnished City Hall	22 00
Aaron Becker, glass furnished at Mayor's office	4 50
B. McGovern, repairs at City Hall and Second Precinct	16 73
Charles Jubitz, supplies furnished at Police Headquarters	21 00
Charles Jubitz, supplies furnished at Police Headquarters	9 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Prison Keeper	31 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished ambulance	14 50
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	27 00
H. J. Meyer, supplies furnished Second Precinct	21 60
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, attending clocks at City Hall, quarter ending March, 1909	10 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, attending clocks at City Hall, quarter ending December, 1908	10 00
Billington & Bishop, taking down and storing awnings	31 50
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., supplies furnished City Clerk's office	20 75
Jacob Ritter, attending clocks at City Hall for the year 1908	22 50

James A. Marnell, plumbing work at patrolmen's room, Police Headquarters 5 50
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park..... 46 50
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished City Hall 16 05
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished City Hall and Second Precinct.... 14 05

Councilman Wren moved that the claims be ordered paid.

Councilman Gonzales moved to amend that the claims be laid over until after recess.

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Nays—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The original motion was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Declining to vote—Councilman Gonzales.
Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., repairs at Recorder's Court..... $42 00
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., repairs at Collector's office..... 4 00
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electric work at Police Headquarters 6 50
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electrical repairs at Police Headquarters 17 00
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electric work in Recorder's Court and Police Headquarters..... 7 50
O. K. Electric Equipment Co., electrical repairs 41 50
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electric work in Assessors' and Collector's offices 10 00
Alex. T. McCabe, electrical repairs at City Hall 41 65
O. K. Electric Equipment Co., electrical repairs at City Hall..... 13 50
F. A. La Pointe ,re-wiring, new clusters, etc., at second floor, Second Precinct 99 92
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished parks. 21 60
A. W. Meyer, supplies furnished City Prison 10 00
Cordts & Katenkamp, one ice box for City Prison Keeper..... 42 00
West Disinfecting Co., 10 gallons of liquor soap furinshed Police Department 22 50
West Disinfecting Co., 10 gallons of cologne soap furnished Police Department 22 50
West Disinfecting Co., 10 gallons of liquor soap furinshed Police Department 12 50
W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of Kno-dust 16 00
W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of Kno-dust 16 00
W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of Kno-dust 16 00
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings 49 49
The Antozone Chemical Co., one barrel barbolozone 65 75
F. Fahrendorff, one barrel of disinfectant 57 20
Columbian Insecticide Co., one barrel of disinfectant 65 00
Columbian Insecticide Co., one barrel of disinfectant 65 00
Columbian Insecticide Co., one barrel of disinfectant 65 00
William Muller, use of horse and wagon in parks..... 32 00
James Maloney, supplies furnished City Hall janitor..... 25 50
John Bantz, ventilators in Mayor's, City Clerk's and Overseer of the Poor's offices 90 00
John Bantz, two double ventilators in Chief of Police office..... 36 00
John Bantz, six galvanized iron window guards at City Hall..... 36 00
John Bantz, carpenter work at city stable 61 40
J. Rehm & Co., one case of toilet paper 4 50
James McFeely, carting away bath bridge 19 00
Louis Bender, storing tools for parks 18 00
Robert J. Rath, repaisr at City Hall 71 74
Robert J. Rath, repaisr at City Hall 55 38
Robert J. Rath, repaisr at City Hall 15 10

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Specifications for the cleaning, raising and repairing box sewer in Jackson street, be-

tween Paterson avenue and First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Specifications for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of brick sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Specifications for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of brick sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

The following bonds were preesnted, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Joseph W. Obreiter, as City Surveyor.
Joseph Monto, as expressman.
N. J. Transfer & Baggage Co., as expressman.
Charles Hansen, as expressman.
Richard S. Daly, as expressman.
Amedeo Guzzi, as junk dealer.
Sam De Turo, as junk dealer.
Sam De Turo, as junk dealer.
Ernst Lehmann, as junk dealer.
Louis Engler, as junk dealer.
Gaetano Miglini, as junk dealer.
Carmine Laino, as junk dealer.
Morris Appel, as auctioneer.
Charles A. Tisost, as auctioneer.
Daniel Cohn, as pawn broker.
David Mayer, as pawn broker.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $7,330.31, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half of the month of June, 1909, was presented, read and refererd to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,753.36, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half of the month of July, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,041.53, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last hafl of the month of June, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,636.80, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half of the month of July, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, for the sum of $3,000, to pay current expeness of the Free Public Library, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of $500, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Trustees of Industrial Education, for the sum of $7,000, for the support of the industrial education for the fiscal year 1909-1910, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from James Smith, City Treasurer, requesting the Council to have warrants drawn in favor of the Sinking Fund Commissioners for the redemption of school bonds, was preesnted, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars repavement bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on May 26, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for it ssecond reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following applications for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For retail liquor licenses: Michael Addesso, Louis Krowitz, E. H. Flohr, B. J. McGauley, Martin D. Rurode, Charles Reymann, Alfred Vezzetti, Albert S. Schiller, Martin Weiss, Joseph F. Sullivan, Amedio Manetti, Charles Schweickert, E. Harder, Charles P. Garbarino, Podesta & Rossi, Louis Fricke, H. Stelling, Louis Blendermann, Leonard Luizzi, Jerome Buck, Charles Kemmerich, William Buchholz, J. H. Bullwinkel, Herman Mutschler, Herman Hasche, Anthony A. Montelione, Henry Westphal, Fritz Zander, William Heinrich, Fred. Schmoldt, Alfred G. Greiner, Stefen Jadrosich & Son, Patrick J. Barry, Henry Fengler, August Doppe, William Schaak, James Bel-

monte, H. Zeissig, Michael Pantoliano, Domenico Protomastro, Ottmar Hopfner, William Meissner, Dominick Laus, Herman Berndt, Herman Hutz, August Moos, John Wilshusen, Joseph Egner, Bernard Buck, George Malone, John F. Vezzetti, August Moos, Walter E. Uslar, Franz Klotz, Michael Cowan, John Marcenaro, Louis Valla, Abe Lillien, Thomas J. McGrath, William P. Verdon, Michael W. Bretzke, John Sheridan, Jacob Breich, George Foretich, George Vorrath, Julius Manz, John Schuemann, William Dollard, Otto Aeachbach, Adam Dietzel, Eugene Vorberger, William Bischoff, Fred'k Hoffmann, Anthony Capelli, E. Buchholz, John H. Heitmann, Charles Specht, Franz Buckel, Emil Tirgarth, Martin Daab, J. Matthiesen, Jacob Glaser, Specht & Co., George Geiger, Charles A. Zimmermann, Antonio Garibaldi, Dondero & Lovrinovich, Scheland & Von Harten, Isaac Schnieweis, W. V. Timourou, Dennis McDermott, William J. Klie, Paul Ehrengruber, Fred Albers, Gustav Berger, William Costello, F. J. Kopp, Palu Teschner, William Brandes, Antonio Padavano, Bernhard Borgstede, John Gloeckler, Fritz Buehler, Andrew Lamprecht, August Droste, J. E. Joyce, Henry Tietjen, Oscar Driesbach, Meyer Bros., Ernst Fischer, William C. Hagen.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Alex. Walbohm, John Eitzen, Peter Liberty, Albert Schocke, Henry Horstmann, Paul Capelli, Christoph Grigat, Henry Asmussen.

For beer bottlers' licenses: Lembeck & Betz, John D. Schroeder, Jacob Ruppert, William Peter Brewing Co., Beadleston & Woerz, L. Schroeder, Brauer & Oshrin, S. Feldma, Chris Wahlis, Obermeyer & Liebmann, Jacob Galler.

For concert hall licenses: Adam Dietzel, Edward I. Reich, Oscar Driesbach, Albert S. Schiller, Charles Reinking.

For auctioneers' licenses: C. A. Tissot, Morris Appel.

For pawn brokers' licenses: Daniel Cohn, David Mayer.

For moving pictures: Frank P. Daley, F. C. Roesch, Charles Guilloud.

For junk dealers' licenses: Gaetano Miglini, Sam Deturo, Amedeo Guzzi, Carmine Laino, Louis Engler, Ernst Lemann, Sam Deturo.

For express licenses: Richard S. Daly, Joseph Monto, New Jersey Transfer and Baggage Express, Charles Hansen.

For peddlers' licenses: Guiseppe Alfano, John Schneider, Charles Meyer, Oreste Passo, John Meyer, J. Ohmstein, John Schneider, Edward Provitere, Giulo Curci, Luigi Scarro, Fred Miller, John Barnitt, Marco Aurigenna, Henry Meyerdiercks, William Gates, George Sass, Guiseppe Sanfilippi, Adolph Fischer, Alfonso Di Sapio, John Scott, G. Meuscati, F. Sagistano, George Papas, Constant Athanasiadi, V. Cortice, J. Hahn, M. Trochtenberg, G. Gariulo, V. Sorrendino, John Delle Fave, P. Yaccarine, S. Attanasio, Nick Macanew, R. Marino, A. Lanza, Michael Bofis, M. Dela Fave, C. Meissner, J. Provitere, Mike Vilusie, J. Omstein, M. Kreestie, A. Saverio, J. Greenberg, J. Lombardi, P. Sebastiano, J. Lombardi.

For porter's license: Peter Planert.

For second-hand dealer's license: Theodor Moeller.

For hack license: Henry Meyerdiercks.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following license, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner:

For retail liquor license: George Gonzales.

On motion of Councilman Foley the report was received and the license granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Zang.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, city's share on improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Fifteenth streets	$470 00
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August Grassmann, insurance on chattels in Board of Health office	8 10
J. H. Kruse, insurance on city stable	67 50
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Carey Bros., insurance on Free Public Library building	108 00
Steljes & Steljes, insurance on buildings at 128 Hudson street and 557 First street	111 00
C. W. Cooley, correcting Hoboken insurance map for 1908	15 00
C. W. Cooley, one insurance map for Building Inspector	65 00
The Inquirer, publishing proposals	29 50
The Inquirer, publishing ordinances	163 50

The Inquirer, publishing proposals...	26 00
The Inquirer, publishing notice of objection	5 00
Carey Bros., insurance on Public Pound	17 64
Henry Lohmann, Jr., to pay checkers, etc., employed by the Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes...	785 25
William A. Barrett, washing towels.	6 00
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	92 54
Charles Hvass & Co., nine dozen bass push brooms with scraper	94 50
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	7 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	31 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, etc., from May 25 to June 25, 1909	791 66
Pay roll, cleaning streets	354 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	288 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	293 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	219 50
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	77 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	38 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	35 00
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	30 25
Pay roll, repairing plumber openings	17 50
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 00
J. M. Patterson, two pairs hip boots	13 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	22 00
Frank B. Hinternhoff, 1 1-4 barrels of Portland cement	2 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	89 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	102 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	100 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basns..	98 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of June 14, 1909	21 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of June 9, 1909	4 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of May 26 and May 28, 1909.....	219 00
The Observer, publishing proposals, etc	140 60
The Observer, publishing ordinances and proposals	168 10
The Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	57 75
The Observer, stationery furnished Assessors	28 60
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	47 90
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	55 85
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	88 20
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	28 55
The Inquirer, publishing proposals..	26 00
The Inquirer, publishing proposals and ordinance	173 10
Financial Record, advertising $125,000 repavement bonds	21 60
T. F. Callahan, stationery furnished Street Commissioner	25 50
The Democrat, publishing ordinance.	91 80
The Democrat, publishing proposals.	48 20
Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing bonds	55 00
Wililam B. Dana Co., advertising repavement bonds sale	30 00
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners and caring for lost children	12 25
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	68 25
F. and L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished	
H. J. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	20 00
H. Schraeder, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
Maloney Bros, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
J. Rehm, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Charles Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	40 00
James Barachi, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
H. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
F. Milstrey, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
H. Stuhrmann, groceries furnished the poor	57 00
A. Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	20 00
A. W. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Eckhoff & Co., groceries furnished the poor	15 00
F. Lilienthal, groceries furnished the poor	15 00

Fred Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
G. C. Bruhn, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
August Finkenstadt, groceries furnished the poor	41 00
M. Bodem, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
I. Hirschmann, shoes furnished poor.	2 50
M. Handle, meals furnished poor...	3 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children	10 50
Mary Ross, care of homeless.....	3 00
J. Wedgan, care of homeless	9 00
George Groot, care of homeless.....	10 00
C. Grube, care of homeless.....	7 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless..	12 00
A. H. Totten, coach hire for Police Matron	8 00
Emil LeFevre, moving poor.....	4 00
John Schmalz, bread tickets furnished poor	10 00
James McLaughlin, burial of poor..	11 75
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor.....	152 50
St. Mary's Hospital, board and treatment of sick and indigent poor...	1,574 00
St. Mary's Hospital, board and treatment of sick and indigent poor...	1,334 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases.	1,332 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases.	1,207 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases.	944 00

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

Charles Hvass & Co. machine brooms refilled	$40 50

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—None.

Councilman Gonzales moved that preference be given to Hoboken dealers in furnishing street brooms.

Councilman Wren moved to amend that the Committee use its own discretion as to the furnishing of street brooms.

The motion to amend was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $824, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on ten receiving basins, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, for the sum of $207.76, in favor of M. T. Connolly Contracting Company, for the repaving of Jefferson street, between First and Second streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, for the sum of $45.85, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the repaving of Jefferson street, between Second and Third streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, for the sum of $79.20, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor for the repaving of Hudson Place, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $7,330.31, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half of the month of June, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissionersfi for the sum of $6,753.36, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half of the month of July, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the

Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,041.53, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half of the month of June, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,636.80, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half of the month of July, 1909, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Free Public Library Trustees, for the sum of $3,000, to pay current expenses of the Free Public Library, reported the same correnct.

On motion of Councilman Zang the report was received.

The Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of $500, to pay current expenses of said Board, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Zang the report was received.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Finance and Salaries was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., June 8, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the communication and report of the Board of School Estimate, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to insert the following amount, viz.: $132,390.29, in the tax ordinance for the fiscal year of 1909, as per report of the Board of School Estimate, as the city's share of the amount fixed and determined as necessary for the maintenance of the public schools of the School District of Hoboken, for the ensuing year ending June 30, 1910.

BERNARD McFEELY,
PETER F. CLARK,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman McFeely the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Finance and Salaries was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the communication from the Board of Water Commissioners, relative to the laying of a new 16-inch water main on Fifteenth street, from Willow avenue to Madison street, thence on Madison street to Fifth street, beg leave to offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the purchase of twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000) water bonds, to run for a period of thirty years from the date of issue, and to bear interest at the rate of 4% per annum, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be issued under and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act authorizing cities of this State to issue and sell water bonds, and providing for the application of the proceeds resulting from the sale thereof, and providing for the payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds," approved April 21, 1909.

CHAS. ZANG,
BERNARD McFEELY,
PETER F. CLARK,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Zang the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report from the Committee on Streets and Assessments and Sewers was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., June 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Whereas, A majority of the property owners along the line of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, have petitioned the Council for the improvement of the said portio nof said street, as follows: By putting in sewer and paving same, etc., and

Whereas, The Council has caused the proper notice to be advertised that objections thereto would be received; and

Whereas, At the time specified there were not sufficient objections received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to advertise according to law for proposals for doing said work, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to

draw up the necessary ordinance for the same.

RICAHRD BUCKLEY,
THOS. J. WREN,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issuance of twenty-two thousand dollars water bonds.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars repavement bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on May 26, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the assessment and collection of the annual tax for the year 1909 in the City of Hoboken.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Gonzales presented the following:

Whereas, It appears that aged firemen could be given positions in the fire department or placed in positions in the fire department which would be acceptable to them instead of retirement and of a great saving in expense of having additional firemen placed in these easy positions for no other reason than to make additional appointments, and

Whereas, It appears that the Fire Commissioners have taken advantage of the situation so as to bring about appointments apparently for political purposes, without regard to economy; but, on the contrary, for no other purpose than to create an expense—the firemen who have been retired would gladly serve the city in minor positions which they could fill and which are obliged to be filled, and

Whereas, It is the duty of this Council to see that the administration of all offices and commissions is done within reason and economically, and

Whereas, It appears that the conduct of the offices has been extravagantly conducted; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Fire Board of this city be investigated and that all papers, correspondence and minutes relating to the Fire Board shall come before us for inspection and that the Commissioners be given an opportunity to be heard in explanation of certain abuses which have crept into this department.

Councilman Foley moved to adopt the resolution.

Councilman Buckley moved to amend that it be laid on the table.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Whereas, Disputes have arisen between the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company and the city of Hoboken as to the assessment of the property known as Fourteenth Street Ferry property, and as to whether or not all of said property should be assessed by the Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes of the city of Hoboken; and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company insisting that the southerly 69 feet of said property should be assessed by the State Board of Assessors and that the same has been so assessed; and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad

Company now proposing to the city, in a petition presented at this meeting, that it be allowed to make immediate payment of the amount of taxes upon the aforesaid property due to the city for taxes of 1907 and 1908, less, however, the proportionate amount of tax which would be due for the aforesaid 69 feet, regarding which an application is to be made by said railroad company to the Supreme Court, for a summary determination as to the right of the city to assess said 69 feet of property.

Resolved, That the said petition of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company be and the same is hereby referred to the Comptroller with power to calculate the proportion of tax to be paid by said Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company on 281 feet of said property and reserving unto the said railroad company the right to withhold the payment of the tax due on the aforesaid 69 feet, and without prejudice to the right of the city in the premises as to its claim to assess said 69 feet and to exact a payment of tax therefor, with the penalties prescribed by law for non-payment

Councilman Buckley moved that the vote by which the communication relating to the above was referred to the Corporation Attorney, Collector of Revenue and Comptroller, be reconsidered and rescinded, and that this resolution do now pass.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to return to H. Waddington two checks for $300 each, Thomas Cavanagh one check for $300, and to W. A. Connell $600 cash, desposited with their bids for cleaning and repairing various sewers.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the purchase of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars "Repavement Bonds," pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act providing for the repavement of paved streets in cities of this State, and for the issuance of bonds in payment therefor," approved March 2, 1898.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for the removal of ashes, garbage, rubbish, street sweepings, etc., for the ensuing year, beginning September 25, 1909, said work to be done in the day time, according to specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk, and in pursuance of the provisions of an act of the Legislature of 1902, concerning the removal of ashes, garbage, rubbish, street sweepings, etc.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for the printing of the financial statement.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals for the furnishing of coal and wood for the ensuing year.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for two hundred and seven dollars and seventy-six cents ($207.76) in favor of M. T. Connolly Contracting Company, on the improvement of Jefferson street, between First and Second streets, as per certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, presented May 2, 1906, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for seventy-nine dollars and twenty cents in favor of Henry Waddington, on the improvement of Hudson place, between Hudson street and easterly line, as per certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, presented May 8, 1907, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for forty-five dollars and eighty-five cents ($45.85) in favor of Henry Waddington, on the improvement of Jefferson street, between Second and Third streets, as per certificate of Tivy & Smith, City Surveyors, presented May 8, 1907, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for eight hundred and twenty-four dollars ($824) in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, on the improvement of ten receiving basins, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented May 26, 1909, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $3,000 in favor of Ferdinand Kaegebehn, Treasurer of the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, to pay salaries, etc., of the Free Public Library.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $500 in favor of John J. Rudolph, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of Board of Health.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman Gonzales presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $5,041.53, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whelan, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of June, 1909.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman Gonzales presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,636.80, in favor of George H. Steil, James Smith and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of July, 1909.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $7,330.31, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the police force for the last half month of June, 1909.
Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,753.36, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the police force for the first half month of July, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw two warrants on the salary fund, one for the sum of $17.94, in favor of Frederick J. Stuhr, as Judge of District Court, and one for the sum of $8.99, in favor of Harry Bennett, as Clerk of the District Court, being the balance due for salary for the month of April, 1909, according to Chapter No. 139, Laws of 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of $7,000, in favor of James Smith, Treasurer, being the amount appropriated by the Board of Tax Commissioners for the support of the industrial education for the fiscal year 1909-1910.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants to the order of the Sinking Fund Commissioners for the following amounts, the same being appropriated by the Board of Tax Commissioners:

Redemption of No. 8 school bonds, 1908-09	$2,800 00
Redemption of No. 9 school bonds, 1907-08	4,395 00
Redemption of No. 9 school bonds, 1908-09	4,395 00
Redemption of No. 2 school extension	225 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of June, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costelio, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	28 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay services for the first half month of July, 1909.

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named named city officers, to pay salaries in full to July 1, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician	$83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney	150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue	125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue	100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall	75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor	116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks	100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct	75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court	125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00
W. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk	100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner	166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper	60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk	116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor	208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court	75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk	125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
George Malone, one month's salary as bath keeper	100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder	208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner	125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector	125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper	60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician	83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector	100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer	125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys	41 66

John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court	26 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court	250 00
Diedrich Bahrenburg, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Richard Buckley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Richard Bowes, one quarter's salary as Collector of Revenue	625 00
Peter F. Clark, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Gustav Friedrichs, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
John J. Fallon, one quarter's salary as Corporation Attorney	625 00
Thomas J. Foley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
George Gonzales, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Bernard McFeely, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
George H. Steil, one quarter's salary as Mayor	500 00
James Smith, one quarter's salary as City Treasurer	625 00
Thomas J. Wren, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Martin J. Whelan, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Charles Zang, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Wren the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL SESSION.

Special session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday afternoon, June 28, 1909.

The Assistant City Clerk called the Board to order.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely and Zang.

Absent—Councilmen Foley, Gonzales, Wren and Chairman Whelan.

The Clerk stated the first business in order would be the election of a temporary chairman.

Councilman Buckley nominated Councilman Friedrichs as temporary chairman.

Adopted.

The following call from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

June 26, 1909.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk:

Dear Sir—A special meeting of the Council is hereby called by me, to be held at the Council Chamber on Monday, June 28th, 1909, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Corporation Attorney relative to the acquisition of the Reynolds property on Jefferson street for public playground purposes, and to authorize the payment for said property.

Respectfully,

GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

The following communication from Corporation tAtorney Fallon was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, June 28, 1909.

To the Honorabe the Mayor and Council of the Ctiy of Hoboken:

Gentemen—The abstract of title to the premises on Jefferson street, this city, the acquisition of which was authorized for public playground purposes, has been submitted to me. I have examined said abstract of title and have approved thereof. A deed for the premises in question, to wit, lots No. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block No. 30, being 175 feet in front and rear and 100 feet in depth on either side, made by Joseph A. Rennolds and Philip J. Rennolds, composing the firm of J. A. Rennolds and Bro., and Joseph A. Rennolds, individually, and Louise D. Rennolds, his wife, and Philip J. Rennolds, individually, to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, has been duly executed and acknowledged and delivered to me, I am at this time sending the deed to the Register of Deeds to be recorded. The title to the aforesaid premises now being in the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, I recommend that you authorize the payment of the consideration therefor, to wit, the sum of $25,000, so that the City Treasurer may make payment thereof to-day.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Councilmen Buckley, McFeely, Bahrenburg, Zang, Clark and Friedrichs presented the following:

The Corporation Attorney, having reported to the Mayor and Council that the title to the premises on the east side of Jefferson street, between First and Second streets, heretofore owned by Joseph A. Rennolds & Brother, the purchase of which was authorized for public playground purposes, has been conveyed to and is now vested in The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the City Treasurer for the payment of twenty-five thousand dollars, as and for the consideration of said premises, in favor of said Joseph A. Rennolds & Brother, and that the City Treasurer make payment thereof forthwith.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Foley, Gonzales, Wren and Councilmen Whelan.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the Board then adjourned.

JAMES HAVRON,
Assistant City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday, July 14, 1909, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the meeting adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, July 28, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the reading of the minutes of the stated session held on June 23, the special session held on June 28, and the stated session held on July 24, 1909, was dispensed with, and they were approved as printed.

The following proposals for $125,000 repavement bonds and $22,000 water bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

From A. B. Leach & Co.:

For the $125,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., 30-year 4 per cent. coupon pavement and the $22,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., 30-year 4 per cent. water bonds, we will pay 100.07 and accrued interest.

From N. W. Halsey & Co.:

For the $125,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., repavement bonds and for the $22,000 City of Hoboken, N. J., water bonds, we will pay 101.8699 per cent. and accrued interest to date of delivery.

From the Hoboken Bank for Savings:

This bank offers for the $125,000 of repaving bonds, we bid for the whole lot at the rate of 101.537 per cent.

The following proposal for the furnishing of coal and wood for public buildings was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

From W. L. Kamena:

I will contract to furnish coal and wood for the following price or prices: Best quality of Lackawanna coal, either egg, stove or nut, at $5.58 per ton. Pea size, $4 per ton.

Best Virginia pine wood at $13.50 per cord.

The following proposals for the removal of ashes, garbage, rubbish, street sweepings, etc., were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

From James Padavano:

I will contract to remove the ashes, garbage, rubbish, street sweepings, etc., of the City of Hoboken for the period of one year for the following price or prices: $13,745.

From Peter A. Peluso:

I will contract to remove all ashes, garbage, street sweepings, rubbish, paper, etc. (during the daytime only) for the period of one year from September 25, 1909, to September 25, 1910, for the following price or prices, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices, $12,995.

The following proposal for the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, were presented, read and refered to the Committee on Streets and Assessments and Sewers:

From E. M. Mullin & Co.:

For the construction of a sewer and paving of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets. I will contract to do the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Brick sewer, per lineal foot.....	$12.00
Manholes, each	35.00
Receiving basins, each	100.00
10-inch iron culverts, 18 feet long, each	35.00
6-inch iron culverts, 15 feet long, each	15.00
Belgian block, new pavement, per square yard	1.50
Belgian block, relaid, per square yard	.40
Curbs, reset, per lineal foot	.18
Curbs, new, per lineal foot	.50
Flags, relaid, per square foot	.05
Flags, new, per square foot	.20
Crosswalks, relaid, per square foot.	.10
Crosswalks, new, per square foot..	.50
Filling, per cubic yard	.60

From Henry Waddington:

I will contract to do all work and furnish all materials according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken for the following price or prices:

Per lineal foot of brick sewer	$8.00
For each manhole complete	5.00
For each receiving basin	90.00
For each 10-inch iron culvert 18 feet long	15.00
For each 6-inch iron culvert 15 feet long	15.00
Per square yard of Belgian block pavement	1.25
Per square yard of Belgian block pavement relaid	.30
Per lineal foot of curb reset.....	.05
Per lineal foot of new curb.....	.50
Per square foot of flag relaid	.02

Per square foot of new flag	.15
Per square foot of crosswalk relaid	.02
Per square foot of crosswalk, new..	.50
Per square yard filling	.40

From Thomas Cavanagh:

I will contract to do the improving of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per lineal foot of brick sewer	$6.75
Per manhole	20.00
Per receiving basin	100.00
Per 10-inch iron pipe connection...	30.00
Per 6-inch iron pipe connection.....	15.00
Per square yard of new block paving	1.40
Per square yard of relaid block paving	.50
Per lineal foot of new curb set.....	.50
Per lineal foot of curb reset.....	.10
Per square foot of new flags	.16
Per square foot of relaid flags.....	.02
Per square foot of new bridging	.50
Per square foot of relaid bridging...	.05
Per cubic yard of filling	.50

The following proposals for the printing of 500 copies of the annual financial statement were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

From The Observer:

We will contract to print, furnish and deliver 500 copies of annual statement, according to avertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

$2.35 per printed page.

From Emil P. Schultze:

I will contract to print and bind 500 copies of the financial statement, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following:

$1.98 per page.

Petition from citizens protesting against the granting of a liquor license at 300 Washington street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Petition from residents and property owners of the First Ward, requesting that John Horn be granted permission to open a bakery at 129 Washingto nstreet, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition from residents of the Fourth Ward requesting some relief from obstructing the sidewalks on First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Petition from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, requesting the Council to grant them a franchise to erect poles and to lay conduits, etc., for electric lighting, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

Communication from the Central Labor Union of Hudson County, requesting that whe nwork is to be given out by the city that union men be given the preference, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from the Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers' International Alliance, requesting that none but union mechanics be employed wherever possible, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Excelsior Brewing Company, requesting a portion of the retail liquor license paid to the Mayor and Council by August Schroeder, corner of First and Marshall streets, said building having been condemned, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Public Service Corporation, encolsing a statement of lighting Police Headquarters and Second Precinct of bills presented and unpaid from November, 1908, to May, 1909, for the amount of $1,765.01, and reported correct for $1,443.79, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For wholesale liquor licenses:

Flegenheimer Bros., John Podesta, Angelo Podesta & Son, Antonio Borrone.

For retail liquor licenses:

Henry Hohn, Henry Horstmann, J. W. Sussemilch, Fred. Seufert, Julius Kaiser, Frank Marrone, Joseph Kurtz, Patrick Reilly, J. H. Snedecker, Jacob Bender, Charles Froh, Serventi Bros., C. M. Leslie, Henry E. Quidore, Victor De Vincenzo, Franz Kibbe, I. Eckstein, Louis H. Patterson, Martin Bussanich, Charles Badois, Michael Jugovich, Charles Martin, Jacob Ungar, Otto F. Miller, Anthony R. Leon, Antonio Marinco, Justin Dennison, Herman G. Voll, Thomas Byrnes, John Singer, Anton Reyman, Henry Fischer, E. Leviness, John Canavari, Morris Bauman, Charles Meyer, Herman Hoyer, Julius Fangmann, Rossi & Ullrich, Ernst Finkenstadt, J. H. Timken, J. H. Timken, Henry Schwiering, Bodenstein & Schwiering, Paul Servas.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses:

Vincenzo Cordello, Bernhard Borgstede, Henry Ritter, Carl I. Lozenzen, Charles

Froh ,Dennis Caren, Frederick Hoffmann, William Lisa.

For beer bottlers' licenses:

F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Company, Mathias Faistl, Ferdinand Trostel, Philip Muller, August Daug,, John Kissell & Son, Inc.

For second-hand dealers' licenses:

Abraham Isaac, Louis Loffer.

For peddlers' licenses:

S. Graziano, Michael De Meno, Max Cohen, Morris Selikow, Morris Rothman, John Lumboti, Marco Sanfillippi, Abe Seidman, Pietro Esposito, Domenico Romano, Giovanni Esposito, Lapio Francesco, Antonio Moretti, Wm. J. Grosch, Carlo De Meno, Tong Yuen Co., Swift & Company, Victor Aubriggino, William Kruse.

For hack license:

Thomas Lavin.

For truck license:

James J. Keeney.

For express license:

William Kater.

For bill poster's license:

Hoboken Bill Posting Company.

For porters' licenses:

John Repko, Hugo Bonheim, Morris Bauman Fritz Paul.

For junk licenses:

John Naporino, Antonio Policastro, Gaetano Greschino, Giuseppi Zenerelli, Jacob Wolf.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	$34 05
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	17 25
Richard Bowes ,delivering tax bills.	12 00
Carey Bros., insurance on contents in office of Board of Health	16 20
John J. Fallon, incidental expenses from Jan. 1 to July 1. 1909	93 93
P. J. Ryan, insurance on Free Public Librar ybuilding	67 50
Timothy J. Conlon, 13 days' services in Assessors' office	39 00
Philip E. Raque, services rendered in investigating constructoin and valuation of shore front properties	1,200 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks in Police Headquarters	10 00
Pay roll, janitor service in City Hall	30 00
M. Hendberg, plants furnished City Hall	57 70
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall to July 26, 1909	20 00
Frank Becht, attending clock in City Hall tower for quarter ending July, 1909	10 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels.	6 00
Thomas N. Abell & Co., supplies furnished parks	31 58
L. Hanley, plants ,etc., furnished Hudson Square Park	21 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished City Prison Keeper	3 80
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Stable	69 24
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Stable	64 02
M. Hendberg, 8 bags of manure	6 80
M. Hendberg, 1 bushel of grass seed	6 00
J. M. Patterson, 3 doz. bass push brooms furnished parks	27 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall to June 26, 1909.	20 00
J. M. Patterson, lawn mowers furnished parks	56 00
Samuel Stanton, mason work at Armory	30 00
Samuel Stanton, mason work, etc., at City Hall	35 00
M. Spangenberg ,supplies furnished public bath	18-70
H. H. Dierksen, one roll top desk for Police Headquarters	38 00
M. Hendberg, sodding in front of City Hall	18-00
M. Hendberg, plants furnished City Hall	57 70
William Hammell, carpenter work at public bath	83 65
William Hammell, carpenter work at public bath	96 74
John Stuart, calking pontoons at public bath	29 50
Fagan Iron Works, repairing gate at City Hall	2 65
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished bath	3 38
W. D .Bindewald, repairing hose	19 00
Daniel Wallace,p lumbing work at Armory	73 47
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Police Headquarters	17 50
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Armory	87 96
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Armory	72 55
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	18 20
William Hammell, carpenter work at Armory	88 02
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	50 80

Louis Bender, gold fish, etc., furnished Church Square Park..... 7 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department 84 27

John Zang, repairs for Street Department 21 75

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department 23 50

George W. Smith, veterinary service to Street Department..... 32 00

Joseph Kneer, clipping horses, etc., for Street Department..... 21 00

Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for quarter ending July.... 150 00

Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from June 25 to July 25, 1909..... 791 66

Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department..... 90 00

Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department..... 90 00

Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department..... 94 00

Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department..... 70 00

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department 59 25

Charles Hvass & Co., one two-horse street sweeper for Street Department 375 00

A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department 79 35

Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement, as per contract 7,744 17

Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement..... 366 30

E. D. & J. D. Stein, two horses for Street Department 775 00

Charles Hvass & Co., 9 dozen bass brooms furnished Street Department 94 50

Charles Hvass & Co., 3 rattan rope brooms 90 00

Charles Hvass & Co., refilling three machine brooms 40 50

Charles Hvass & Co., two machine brooms refilled 45 00

Charles Hvass & Co., 9 can carriers for Street Department..... 90 00

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department..... 22 83

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 301 75

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 347 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 298 25

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 341 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 351 75

Pay roll, labor, Street Department.. 50 00

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 21 00

Pay roll, repairing streets 17 50

To the Committee on Sewers:

John Zang, repairs for Street Department 23 20

A. J. Greenberg, two pair of storm boots 10 00

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department 10 50

James A. Marnell, connecting receiving basin at Madison and Third streets 88 80

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department..... 18 89

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department 19 45

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers 54 50

Pay roll, cleaning receiivng basins.. 100 00

Pay roll, repairing sewers..... 12 00

Pay roll, reepairing sewers..... 30 00

Pay roll ,repairing sewers..... 50 00

Pay roll, celaning receiving basins.. 90 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 88 11

Pay roll, clearing receiving basins.. 110 50

Pay roll, repairing sewers..... 38 50

Pay roll, repairing sewers..... 24 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.. 90 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, advertising opening of bath 78 00

The Observer, publishing proposals for water bonds..... 45 10

The Observer, publishing minutes of June 14, 1909..... 4 00

The Observer, publishing proposals and ordinance..... ..... 422 30

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 73 50

The Observer, publishing minutes of June 23, 1909 ..... 367 50

The Observer ,stationery furnished city offices 54 10

The Financial Record, advertising bond sale 82 00

William B. Dana Co., advertising water bonds 30 00

William B. Dana Co., advertising repavement bonds 30 00

Funk & Wagnall Co., one set of Standard Dictionary 22 50

The Democrat, publishing bath opening notice 21 00

The Democrat, publishing repavement bonds ordinance..... 68 10

The Democrat, publishin gproposals. 19 00

The Democrat, publishing proposals. 70 80

The Evening Journal Assn, publishing notice ofstreet lighting franchise 50 96

G. M. Hopkins, two volumes Hudson County Atlas 35 00
The Inquirer, publishing ordinances. 46 20
The Inquirre, publishing notice of opening of free public bath..... 31 00
The Inquirer, publishing proposals and ordinances 233 30
The Inquirer, publishing notice of lighting franchise 92 40

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corporation, street lighting for June ,1909..... 2,139 00
Public Service Corporation, lighting public buildings for June, 1909.... 237 40

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners 65 85
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners 19 20
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Cos. K an dM..... 15 00

To the Committee on Alms:

H. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
Herman Bruns, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor 39 00
O. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor 2 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
Eckhoff & Co., groceries furnished the poor 30 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
Fred. H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor 15 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor 18 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
William Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor 15 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
Fred .Luis, groceries furnished the poor 30 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
Henry Tomford, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
William Kamlah, medical supplies furnished the poor department.... 59 20
Christ Hospital, medical treatment and board 4 20
William Jeffords, transportatoin of poor 3 25
H. J. Weidner, care of homeless... 5 00
L. Stein, care of homeless..... 7 00
M. Koettner, care of homeless..... 7 00
Fred H. Becker, care of homeless.. 8 00
Mrs. M .Fosdick ,boarding and caring for lost children..... 13 50
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, emergency and indigent poor.... 1,644 00

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., July 28, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen:—Some months ago communicated with your Honorable Body in relation to the erection of a building to be used as Police Headquarters, and realizing the urgent necessity of same, would urge that this matter be taken up as soon as possible.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

The following report from Comptroller Kaufmann was presented and read:

Comptroller's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., June 25, 1909.

To the Hon. the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen:—Pursuant to your resolution of June 23, 1909, I have apportioned the land of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad at Fourteenth street, as follows:

Plot "A" 69 feet south of Fourteenth street, valued at $72,450.00; balance, 281 feet, valued at $295,050.00. Total, $367,500.00.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED'K. KAUFMANN,
Comptroller.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following communication and resolution from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented and read:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., July 23 ,1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—At a meeting of your honorable body held June 23, 1909, you adopted a resolution authorizing and directing the

Comptroller to make an apportionment of the tax due from the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, on its property known as Fourteenth Street Ferry, in accordance with a petition therefor, presented to you b ythe aforesaid company. I am informed that the Comptroller has, pursuant to the aforesaid resolution, made an apportionment of said tax, and has submitted to you his report thereof.

I therefore submit to you for your consideration the accompanying resolution authorizing the Collector of Revenue to accept the said tax as apportioned by the Comptroller, subject, however, to the rights of the city to claim payment of the entire tax appearing to be due to and claimed by the city, prior to the said apportionment. I am informed that the said company is to apply to the Supreme Court for a summary determination of the right of the city to the disputed tax mentioned in its aforesaid petition.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Whereas, The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company presented a petition to the Mayor and Council at the meeting held June 23, 1909, requesting that an apportionment be made of the tax due and owing by said company to the city for the years 1907-1908 on its property known as Fourteenth Street Ferry, and the Council by resolution adopted at the aforesaid meeting, referred the said matter to the Comptroller with power and authority to apportion said tax as petitioned for by said company; and

Whereas, The Comptroller has submitted to the Council his report upon said matter, showing an apportionment of said tax as made by him in compliance with the aforesaid resolution.

Resolved, That the said report of the Comptroller, and the apportionment of tax so made by him in the aforesaid matter, be and the same is hereby ratified and concurred in; and the Collector of Revenue is hereby authorized and empowered to accept payment from the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, upon the taxes due and owing by said company to the city on the property of said company known as Fourteenth Street Ferry, according to the apportionment made by the Comptroller as aforesaid; without prejudice however, and subject to the rights of the city to claim payment of the entire tax appearing to be due to and claimed by the city, prior to the said apportionment; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of the said report of the Comptroller showing the apportionment made by him of the aforesaid taxes, and a copy of this resolution, certified by the City Clerk, be forwarded to and filed with the Collector of Revenue.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the communication was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., July 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—I communicated with you under date of November 24, 1908, relative to several cases in which the City of Hoboken is plaintiff, which have been pending before our courts for many years past. I refer particularly to the suits of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. Michael H. Murphy, John Bruning, Martin Steljes and Theophilus Butts, which were instituted in the New Jersey Supreme Court more than twenty years ago, to wit, on January 5, 1888, to recover the amount of the defalcation on the bond of Michael H. Murphy, former Water Registrar of this city; also the suit of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. North Hudson County Railway Company in the Hudson County Circuit Court, involving the title of the City of Hoboken in and to what would be the extension of Ferry street, if said street were continued east of Hudson street; also the suit of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company involving the same question with respect to the title to Ferry street, so far as the company is concerned.

I would respectfully refer you to my aforesaid communicatino, which deals with the aforesaid matters, and advise me as to your wishes with respect thereto.

I have caused the aforesaid cases to be placed upon the list of causes for trial in the aforesaid courts, so as to protect the interests of the city therein should it be determined by you to further litigate the

same. In this regard I beg leave also to refer you to the final report of my predecessor in office, Hon. James F. Minturn (former Corporation Attorney and now Justice of the Supreme Court), to your honorable body dated August 28, 1907.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., July 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—On July 8th inst., the State Board of Equalization of Taxes heard and considered the appeals filed with them by a number of property owners in this city, who claimed that their assessments of 1908 were unjust and asked for a reduction thereof.

Delta Tau Delta, a fraternity owning lands on the Castle Point property, appealed from an assessment of $23,800, being $11,800 on land and $12,000 on buildings, and wanted the assessment reduced to $15,000. This appeal was dismissed.

A. Philip Hexamer appealde from an assesment on six lots with buildings. Lots 23 to 28 inclusive, block 205, the premises being known as 208 to 218 River street, inclusive, the aggregate assesment upon said property being fixed by the local Assessors at $86,500. Mr. Hexamer asked for a reduction from said assessment to the sum of $81,300. This appeal was dismissed.

The trustees of Stevens Institute of Technology appealed from five assessments placed against its property. The assessment as made by the City Assessors on about 646-1000 acres known as plot D, Castle Point assessed for $13,000 was cancelled by consent of the local Assessors for the reason that said property had been included in another assessment and the assessment thus appealed from was erroneous. The Assessors assessed the land known as block 236, plot E, at $34,000 and the appellant asked for a reduction thereof to $17,219.72. The State Board after hearing of said matter reduced the assessment from 34,000 to $17,220. The city Assessors assessed the plot of land on Hudson street, known as block 228, lots 10 and 12, and block 236, on Hudson street, for $62,400. The appellant asked for a reduction of said assessment to $56,729 and this reduction was granted by the State Board. The city Assessors assessed the property known as Part Two A (formerly part of Plot 2) Castle Point for $23,000 and the appellant asked for a reduction thereof to $13,000, and this reduction was allowed by said State Board. The city Assessors assessed the premises known as block 228, lot 30, at $22,000, and the appellant asked for a reduction thereof to $14,175, and this reduction was also allowed by the State Board.

In this regard I deem it advisable to call your attention to the grievous injustice done to the City of Hoboken in the reduction of the aforesaid assessments. The Trustees of Stevens Institute of Technology had Mr. C. A. Tissot and Mr. Arthur Seitz as realty experts before said State Board of Equalization of Taxes on the hearing of the aforesaid appeals, and the testimony of these gentlemen was to the effect that the market value of the lands in question was only between twenty-three and a half cents a square foot to thirty cents per square foot according to location. It should hardly be necessary for me to suggest to you that such properties could not be purchased for anything near such a figure as was placed thereon by the aforesaid appellant and its witnesses, and this recalls to my mind at this time the testimoney of these two gentlemen as offered before the State Board of Equalization of Taxes upon a hearing of the appeals of the estate of Robert L. Stevens, and Edwin A. Stevens, and of Richard Stevens, relating to their lands for the year 1908 known as the Stevens property. The aforesaid witnesses testified before the State Board upon the hearing of said last mentioned appeals that the said properties were of a market value of between twenty-two cents and twenty-five cents per square foot, and the State Board after hearing said witnesses, accepted their figures and reduced the city assessment accordingly. This also is a manifest injustice to the city and the city Assessors should be authorized and directed to employ real estate experts to examine and appraise all of the aforesaid properties with a view of having an equitable assessment made thereon for this and future years. The idea of any of the aforesaid lands being worth not more than between twenty-two cents to thirty cents per square foot is most absurd.

Considering the many years of delay heretofore experienced and which may yet be experienced in the acquisition of the so-called Wendell property on Garden street for

the purpose of a High School site, and the ridiculously low market value placed upon the so-called Stevens property and Stevens Institute property by the owners thereof and their expert witnesses, I take this occasion of suggesting to you the advisability of requesting the Board of Education, in the interests of the city, to abandon further proceedings looking to the acquisition of the Wendell property, which is not only to be a very great cost to the city, more than $100,000 or more, but will doubtless be the subject of litigation for a long time to come, and that said Board institute proceedings for the acquisition, by condemnation, of such part of the so-called Stevens property as may be deemed most suitable for a High School site. I would suggest that the portion of the so-called Stevens property situate at River and Ninth streets would make a most suitable and sanitary High School site. The owners of said property cannot possibly object to the city acquiring such portion of said property as may be deemed necessary for the purpose of a High School site, at the market value which they have placed thereon, to wit, from twenty-two cents per square foot to twenty-five cents per square foot, and the acquisition of this property would not only be most advantageous to the city, but would be most economical as compared with the proposed Wendell site.

As you are aware the trustees of Stevens Institute of Technology claimed exemption from the entire lands recently acquired by them from the Stevens Estate, and upon my denying their right to such exemption and advising the city Assessors to assess said property, the sai dtrustees of Stevens Institute the napplied to the Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari to review said assessment, and the matter was argued before the Court on February 23, 1909, and decided by the Court on June 7, 1909, in favor of the City of Hoboken an dadverse to the trustees of said institute. The said trustees, however, not to be outdone by the city even though they were defeated in court as to their claim for exemption for tax for their aforesaid property, have succeeded, as above stated, in having their said property assessed at their own figures. If the aforesaid property which the trustees of Stevens Institute recently acquired from the Stevens Estate be most suitable for institute purposes, why would not some partthereof be most suitable for the purpose of a High School site, if the River and Sixth street site which I have hereinabove mentioned, should for any reason be deemed undesirable.

I respectfully suggest these matters for your earnest consideration.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, was presented, read and received:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., July 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—The City Clerk delivered to me on July 13th inst. a copy of notice and affidavits, in the matter of the applicmation of Mary C. Dynan to Hon. Francis J. Swayze, Justice of the Supreme Court, for a writ of certiorari, to review the ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting permission to the Public Service Railway Company, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, its successors and assigns, to locate, construct, operate and maintain certain connecting tracks in the City of Hoboken, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey," passed by your honorable body on November 25, 1908, and approved by his honor the Mayor on December 4, 1908. Frederick N. Eberhard, attorney for said Mary C. Dynan, made application to his honor, Justice Swayze, for the aforesaid writ of certiorari, which application was denied. I am informed that the aforesaid application will be renewed before the Supreme Court at the next term of said court which will be held in November.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, was presented, read and received:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., July 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—I deem it necessary to call your attention to the brazen affrontery of the Public Service Railway Company, which has appropriated to its use certain of our public streets, to wit, Ferry street, between Washington and Hudson streets, and Hudson street at the intersection of Ferry street. Said company has erected therein and thereon elevated structures upon which its railway cars are now operated, and also platforms, stations, and stairways, used in connection therewith, without the authority or license of your honorable body, and in

utter disregard of the rights of the public in and to said streets, which as you are aware, are much used in traffic.

Having in mind the welfare of our city and the rights of the city and its inhabitants in and to the free and unobstructed use of the public streets, and the protection thereof from confiscation by private interests, I prepared a bill of complaint to be filed in the Court of Chancery praying for a mandatory injunction in behalf of the city to compel the said Public Service Railway Company to remove forthwith the aforesaid structures and obstructions now encumbering the aforesaid streets, and I submitted the said bill of complaint to his honor, Mayor George H. Steil, on July 20th inst., and requested hmi to sign the verifications annexed thereto, but his honor, Mayor Steil, refused to sign same, and consequently I was unable to file said bill of complaint with thecourt. Some of the members of your honorable body and his honor the Mayor, undertook to criticise me for undertaking to institute the aforesaid proceedings, but I assured them that I considered that it was my duty as Corporation Attorney so to do, when it was clearly apparent that the rights of the people of the City of Hoboken were ruthlessly disregarded by private interests and without municipal authority.

I enclose herewith the bill of complaint hereinabove referred to.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., July 23, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen:—I have carefully perused and considered the communication presented to your honorable body by the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company, relative to granting to said company a franchise for the use of the streets, etc., of our city for street light purposes, etc., which communication was presented to you and read at a meeting held on June 23, 1909, and referred to me for my opinion as to the legality of the proceedings had by your honorable body in the matter of providing for the lighting of the public streets and places of the city, and particularly with respect to your proceedings in considering the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company.

For the purpose of enabling me to determine the legality of the proceedings in question, I have investigated the proceedings of your honorable body in regard thereto from March 29, 1909, upon which date you adopted a resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise according to law for proposals for theli ghting of the streets, roads and public places of the city, in accordance with specifications to be prepared by your Committee on Lamps and Gas in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney. Specifications were thereafter prepared, presumably by your aforesaid committee, but not in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney. I was not consulted about the preparation of said specifications and have had no part whatever in the preparation thereof. On April 28, 1909, the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company presented to your honorable body a petition seeking consent for the use of the streets, avenues, parks, parkways and other highways of our city, and specifying in detail the uses for which such streets, etc., were desired, and specifying also the period for which such consent was asked, to wit, for the period of twenty years, which petition was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas, and said Committee on May 12, 1909, presented to your honorable body a resolution which was adopted, designating Friday, May 28, 1909, at theho ur of 2 P. M. of that day, as the time, and the Council Chamber as the place, when and at which your honorable body would consider the aforesaid petition, and directing the City Clerk to cause public notive thereof to be given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, which direction the City Clerk regularly complied with and submitted to you proof thereof.

On May 28, 1909, a meeting was held by your honorable body, pursuant to the aforesaid resolution and notice, for the purpose ofco nsidering the said petition, and after a hearing was had thereon, the further consideration thereof, and the said meeting was regularly adjourned to Monday, June 14, at 2 P. M., and upon this latter date at the meeting then held by you for the purpose of further considering the aforesaid petition and preceding the further consideration thereof, your Committee on Lamps and Gas submitted to you a report which read as follows: "Your Committee to whom was referred the petition for a franchise made by the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company, do hereby recommend the granting of such franchise,

and respectfully recommend the introduction of this ordinance, and in connection with fixing the terms and provisions thereof, also recommend the passage of this resolution." That which presumably was intended as an ordinance, and was referred to as such in the aforesaid report, was presented to your honorable body at said meeting, and in connection therewith a resolution was adopted which reads as follows: "Be it Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to request the officials and counsel of the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company to confer with the law department of the city and the Committee on Lamps and Gas on the matter of drafting and completing the terms and provisions of the ordinance granting a franchise to said company, which has been introduced." That which is referred to as an ordinance reads as follows: "An Ordinance granting permission and authority to the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company, to erect poles to sustain necessary wire sand fixtures, and to lay and use for the purpose for which said company was organized, underground subways or conduits beneath all of the streets, avenues and alleys in the City of Hoboken, and to string and lay electric or other wires and conductors thereon and therein for the term of twenty years." Manifestly such an instrument as last above quoted cannot be said to be an ordinance, but there is no body or sustance to it whatever, and consequently it is a mere sham. The resolution hereinabove mentioned in itself indicates that the "drafting and completing the terms and provisions of the ordinance granting a franchise to said company" was to be done after a conference between the officials and counsel of the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company and the law department of the City and the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

An ordinance, to be a municipal law, should be prepared with the same particularity as a law of the State.

It would be most absurd for any one to contend that the instrument which was presented to your honorable body and referred to as an ordinance, was such in fact.

Nor does such title of ordinance as hereinabove mentioned sufficiently embrace and set out the essential requisites of a legal title to such an ordinance as should be presented to to your honorable body in relation to the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company, if you deem it proper to consider such an ordinance. This is clearly apparent from a perusal of the aforesaid petition of the Citizens 'Light, Heat & Power Company and the statute under and by virtue which the said petition is to be considered (Chapter 36, Laws of 1906.)

Inasmuch as your meeting of June 14, 1909, which had been regularly adjourned to said date from May 28, 1909, for the consideration of the aforesaid petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company, was adjourned sine die, that is, without day, indefinitely, you cannot at this late day give further consideration to said petition, without causing due public notice to be given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, of the contemplated consideration thereof.

I advise you therefore:

First—That the specifications for proposals for street lighting, etc., should, pursuant to the resolution hereinabove mentioned, be prepared by your committee on Lamps and Gas in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

Second—That Proposals for said street lighting should be readvertised for according to the specifications to be prepared by your aofresaid committee and the Corporation Attorney.

Third—That the introduction and adoption of the aforesaid resolution at the meeting of June 14, 1909, was irregular, improper and illegal.

Fourth—That at the meeting of June 14, 1909, a proper ordinance should have been introduced in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, Laws of 1906, and the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company (assuming that your honorable body had concluded to act upon such an ordinance), and said ordinance when introduced, should not have been merely a naked title, but complete in all respects.

Fifth—That the so-called ordinance introduced at the meeting of June 14, 1909, is not an ordinance and is therefore illegal and void.

Sixth—That because of the adjournment of the meeting of June 14, 1909, sine die, that is, without day, no further consideration can be given to the aforesaid petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat & Power Company, without further statutory public notice.

In conclusion, I beg leave to remind you that the aforesaid ordinance, so-called, and report and resolution, acted upon by you at the meeting of June 14, 1909, were not prepared by me, nor under my direction.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Collector of Revenue Bowes, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney:

Office of Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, N. J., July 22, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—The New Jersey Junction Railroad Company is in arrears for taxes for three years on nineteen (19) lots, located on various streets. They claim that seven of these lots have been dedicated to the city and are now a part of Seventeenth street, and that they are not liable for the taxes.

I would respectfully request that your Honorable Body direct the Corporation Attorney to investigate their claim as to the seven lots, and if found correct, that I be ordered to cancel the taxes against them.

The Railroad Company are ready to pay on the remaining twelve (12) lots, just as soon as the seven (7) are apportioned from them.

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

Specifications for the removal of ashes, garbage, paper, rubbish, street sweepings, etc., were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Specifications for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of brick sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers:

Specifications for the cleaning, raising and repairing of box sewer in Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Specifications for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of brick sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Guiseppi Zenerelli, as junk dealer.
Jacob Wolf, as junk dealer.
Gaetano Greschino, as junk dealer.
John Naporino, as junk dealer.
Antonio Policastro, as junk dealer.
William Kater, as expressman.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $257, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, for ten receiving basins, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $100, in favor of himself, for services as engineer on ten receiving basins, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $7,116.31, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of July, 1909, was presented, erad and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,501.97, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of August, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $7,061.82, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of July, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,654.14, to pay salaries of the Fire epartment for the first half month of August, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, for the sum of $3,000, to pay current expenses of the Free Public Library, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of $500, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following report from City Surveyor Smith was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers:

Hoboken, N. J., July 13, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I hereby report to your Honorable Body that Mr. Henry Waddington, the contractor for the building of ten receiving basins, has completed his contract and built receiving basins at the following points:

Southeast corner of Hudson and Twelfth streets.

Northwest corner of Washington and Twelfth streets.

Southwest corner of Washington and Twelfth streets.

Northwest corner of Washington and Eighth streets.

Southwest corner of Washington and Eighth streets.

Northwest corne rof Washington and Sixth streets.

Northwest corner of Bloomfield and Tenth streets.

Southwest cornef of Bloomfield and Tenth streets.

Northeast corner of Garden and Ferry streets.

Northwest corner of Garden and Ferry streets.

EUGENE SMITH,
City Surveyor.

Report of Streeet Commissioner Griffin, on the collection of street opening permits for the months of April, May and June, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner Griffin, on the collection of sewer tapping fees for the months of April, May and June, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Recorder McGovern, on the collection of fines for the month of July, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

An ordinance to provide for the issuance of twenty-two thousand dollars water bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on July 23, 1909.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the assessment and collection of the annual tax for the year nineteen hundred and nine, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on June 23, 1909.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the issuance of twenty-two thousand dollars water bonds, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held on June 23, 1909, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then move dthat the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to provide for the assessment and collection of the annual tax for the year nineteen hundred and nine, in the City of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its firs treading as read at a stated session of the Council held on June 23, 1909, and which was presented, read and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioners in each case:

For wholesale liquor licenses:

Flegenheimer Bros., John Podesta, Angelo Podesta & Son, Antonio Borrone.

For retail liquor licenses:

Henry Hohn, Henry Horstmann, J. W. Sussemilch, Fred. Seufert, Julius Kaiser, Frank Marrone, Joseph Kurtz, Patrick Reilly, J. H. Snedeker, Jacob Bender, Charles Froh, Serventi Bros., C. M. Leslie, Henry E. Quidore, Victor De Vincenzo, Franz Kibbe, I. Eckstein, Louis H. Patterson, Martin Bussanich, Charles Badois, Michael Jugovich,

Charles Martin, Jacob Ungar, Otto F. Miller, Anthony R. Leon, Antonio Marinco, Justin Dennison, Herman G. Voll. Thomas Byrnes, John Singer, Anton Reyman, Henry Fischer, E. Leviness, John Canavari, Morris Bauman, Charles Meyer, Herman Hoyer, Julius Fangmann, Rossi & Ullrich, Ernst Finkenstadt, J. H. Timken, J. H. Timken, Henry Schwiering.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses:

Vincenzo Cordello, Bernhard Borgstede, Henry Ritter, Carl I. Lozenzen, Charles Froh ,Dennis Caren, Frederick Hoffmann, William Lisa.

For beer bottlers' licenses:

F. & M. Schaefer Brewing Company, Mathias Faistl, Ferdinand Trostel, Philip Muller, August Daug.

For second-hand dealers' licenses:

Abraham Isaac, Louis Loffer.

For peddlers' licenses:

S. Graziano, Michael De Meno, Max Cohen, Morris Selikow, Morris Rothman, John Lumboti, Marco Sanfillippi, Abe Seidman, Pietro Esposito, Domenico Romano, Giovanni Esposito, Lapio Francesco, Antonio Moretti, Wm. J. Grosch, Carlo De Meno, Tong Yuen Co., Swift & Company, Victor Aubriggino, William Kruse.

For hack license:

Thomas Lavin.

For truck license:

James J. Keeney.

For express license:

William Kater.

For bill poster's license:

Hoboken Bill Posting Company.

For porters' licenses:

John Repko, Hugo Bonheim, Morris Bauman, Fritz Paul.

For junk licenses:

John Naporino, Antonio Policastro, Gaetano Greschino, Giuseppi Zenerelli, Jacob Wolf.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Richard Bowes, delivering tax bills..	$12 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, winding clocks in Police Headquarters.....	10 00
Pay roll, janitor service in City Hall	30 00
M. Hendberg, plants furnished City Hall	57 70
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall to July 26, 1909..	20 00
Frank Becht, attending clock in City Hall tower for quarter ending July, 1909	10 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels.	6 00
Thomas N. Abell & Co., supplies furnished parks	31 58
L. Hanley, plants ,etc., furnished Hudson Square Park.....	21 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished City Prison Keeper.....	3 80
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Stable	69 24
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Stable	64 02
M. Hendberg, 8 bags of manure.....	6 80
M. Hendberg, 1 bushel of grass seed	6 00
J. M. Patterson, 3 doz. bass push brooms furnished parks.....	27 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall to June 26, 1909.	20 00
J. M. Patterson, lawn mowers furnished parks	56 00
Samuel Stanton, mason work at Armory	30 00
Samuel Stanton, mason work, etc., at City Hall	35 00
M. Spangenberg ,supplies furnished public bath	18-70
H. H. Dierksen, one roll top desk for Police Headquarters	38 00
M. Hendberg, sodding in front of City Hall	18-00
M. Hendberg, plants furnished City Hall	57 70
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	84 27
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	21 75
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	23 50
George W. Smith, veterinary service to Street Department.....	32 00
Joseph Kneer, clipping horses, etc., for Street Department.....	21 00
Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for quarter ending July....	150 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from June 25 to July 25, 1909.....	791 66
Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department.....	90 00
Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department.....	90 00
Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department.....	94 00

Henry Waddington, cross bridging furnished Street Department.....	70 00
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	59 25
Charles Hvass & Co., one two-horse street sweeper for Street Department	375 00
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	79 35
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement.....	366 30
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department.....	22 83
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	301 75
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	347 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	298 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	341 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	351 75
Pay roll, labor, Street Department..	50 00
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	21 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	17 50
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	23 20
A. J. Greenberg, two pair of storm boots	10 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	10 50
James A. Marnell, connecting receiving basin at Madison and Third streets	88 80
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department.....	18 89
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	19 45
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	54 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiivng basins..	100 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	12 00
Pay roll, reepairing sewers.....	30 00
Pay roll ,repairing sewers.....	50 00
Pay roll, celaning receiving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	88 11
Pay roll, clearing receiving basins..	110 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	38 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	24 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
The Observer, publishing proposals for water bonds.....	45 10
The Observer, publishing minutes of June 14, 1909.....	4 00
The Observer, publishing proposals and ordinance.....	422 30
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	73 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of June 23, 1909	367 50
The Observer ,stationery furnished city offices	54 10
The Financial Record, advertising bond sale	82 00
William B. Dana Co., advertising water bonds	30 00
William B. Dana Co., advertising repavement bonds	30 00
The Democrat, publishing bath opening notice	21 00
The Democrat, publishing repavement bonds ordinance.....	68 10
The Democrat, publishin gproposals.	19 00
The Democrat, publishing proposals.	70 80
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	65 85
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	19 20
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Cos. K an dM.....	15 00
H. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Herman Bruns, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor	39 00
O. Schlein, groceries furnished the poor	2 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Eckhoff & Co., groceries furnished the poor	30 00
L. Weiner, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
Fred. H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
William Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
Fred .Luis, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
Henry Tomford, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
William Kamlah, medical supplies furnished the poor department....	59 20
Christ Hospital, medical treatment and board	4 20
William Jeffords, transportatoin of poor	3 25
H. J. Weidner, care of homeless...	5 00
L. Stein, care of homeless.....	7 00
M. Koettner, care of homeless.....	7 00
Fred H. Becker, care of homeless..	8 00

Mrs. M .Fosdick ,boarding and caring for lost children..... 13 50
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, emergency and indigent poor.... 1,644 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture, etc., furnished Assessors' office 93 90
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture, etc., furnished Assessors' office 65 00
Leo Mayer, appraising real estate before the State Board of Taxation 100 00
P. J. Ryan, appraising real estate before the Stat eBoard of Taxation 100 00
Howell Bros., supplies furnished Police Headquarters 35 00
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at Hudson Square Park..... 98 72
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at Church Square Park..... 6 92
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at City Hall 24 93
James Murray, springling streets around City Hall..... 20 00
R. Kirchgessner, grand stand decorations for Memorial Day..... 10 00
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 7 00
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished parks 10 43
W. D. Bindewald, 450 feet of rubber hose and one gross of washers..... 72 75
George Pinner, glazing at public buildings 31 80
Thos. M. Abell, supplies furnished Armory 5 87
John Landrigan, one large American Flag 14 00
Alex. T. McCabe, electrical repairs at Second Precinct 47 85

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes--Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct for the sum of $750:

E. D. & J. D. Stein, two horses for Street Department $775 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the following claims, reported the same correct:

Chas. Hvass & Co. ,six can carriers for Street Department $90 00
Chas. Hvass & Co., refilling three machine brooms..... 40 50
Chas. Hvass & Co., two machine brooms refilled, etc..... 45 00
Chas. Hvass & Co., three rattan rope brooms 90 00
Chas. Hvass & Co., nine dozen bass brooms 94 50

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom were referred the following claims, reported the same correct:

John Stuart, material and labor on public bath $66 50
John Stuart, calking pontoons at public bath 29 50
John Stuart, raising public bath, etc 93 92
William Hammell, carpenter work at public bath 96 74
William Hammell, carpenter work at public bath 83 65

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Printing and Stationery, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

Funk & Wagnalls Co., one set Standard dictionary $22 50

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Foley.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

Timothy J. Conlin, 13 days' services in Assessors' office..... $39 00

On motion of Councilman Zang the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilman Bahrenburg and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Printing and Stationery, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:

The Observer, advertising opening of Free Public Bath $78 00

On mtoion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,603.19, in favor of the United States Wood Preserving Company, for the improvement for wood block pavement on Second street, between Madison and Monroe streets, presented December 30, 1908, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom were referred the specifications for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of brick sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom were referred the specifications for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of brick sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom were referred the specifications for the cleaning, raising and repairing box sewer in Jackson streeet, between Paterson avenue and First street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Sewers was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the several proposals for the building of sewer and other improvements in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Thomas Cavanagh the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the building of sewer and other improvements in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Thos. Cavanagh, at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

PETER F. CLARK,
THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the several proposals for the furnishing of coal and wood, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of W. L. Kamena the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing of coal and wood be and the same is hereby awarded to W. L. Kamena, at the price named in his proposal, viz.: $5.58 per ton, egg, stove or nut size; pea coal, $4 per ton; wood, $13.50 per cord; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

CHAS. ZANG,
PETER F. CLARK,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Zang the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Sewers was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the several proposals for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of sewer in Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the oen of W. A. Connell the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of sewer in Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. A. Connell at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

PETER F. CLARK,
THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Sewers was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the several proposals for the rebuilding, cleaning, etc., of sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Thomas Cavanagh the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the rebuilding, cleaning, etc., of sewer in Monroe streeet, between Fourth and Fifth streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Thomas Cavanagh, at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

PETER F. CLARK,
THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Sewers was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repairing, cleaning, etc., of sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Thomas Cavanagh the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repairing, cleaning, etc., of sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, be and the same is hereby owarded to Thomas Cavanagh, at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

PETER F. CLARK,
THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Gonzales, Buckley, Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Whereas, It appears that the Public Service Corporation has taken possession of a part of Ferry street for the use of their railroad, and

Whereas, The Public Service Corporation absolutely refused to agree to pay a fair share of the repaving of Ferry streeet a short time ago; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be instructed to collect a rental from the Public Service Corporation for the use of the city streets, th eamount to be determined by him.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley, Wren, Clark, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That Patrick O'Connor, engineer, be and he is hereby directed to prepare maps of all the five Wards of the city, showing the number of votes in each square block of the city, in Wards; for the purpose of redistricting each of the five Wards of the city; said maps to be ready by the meeting of August 25, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to the order of the Board of Water Commissioners for the sum of $1,850.33, as per requisition of said Board, to pay the claims of A. T. Pflugh, $13.15; H. Salvator, $11.67, for connections, and Barber Asphalt Company, $1,825.51 for repairing asphalt cuts in the laying of the new 30-inch water main.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Finance and Salaries to whom was referred the several bids for the purchase of twenty-two thousand dollars ($22,000) "Water Bonds," beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of N. W. Halsey & Company the highest and most advantageous, and in the judgment of your committee it is in the best interest of the city to accept the same and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the $22,000 "Water Bonds" authorized by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issuance of twenty-two thousand dollars Water Bonds," passed by the Council July 28, 1909, and duly approved by the Mayor on July 28, 1909, and also by an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act authorizing cities of this State to issue and sell water bonds, and providing for the application of the proceeds resulting from the sale thereof, and providing for the payment of the principal of, and interest on, said bonds," approved April 21, 1909, be and they are hereby awarded to N. W. Halsey & Company, of the City of New York, at their bid of 101.8699 and accrued interest for each one hundred dollars par value thereof, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds when duly executed to N. W. Halsey & Company, on the receipt of the amount of their bid therefor, and accrued interest.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the several bids for the purchase of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000) "Repavement Bonds," begs leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of N. W. Halsey & Company is the highest and most advantageous and in the judgment of your committee it is in the interest of the city to accept the same, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the $125,000 "Repavement Bonds" authorized by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars 'Repavement Bonds,' passed by the Council June 23, 1909, and duly approved by the

Mayor on June 24, 1909, and also by an act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An act providing for the repavement of paved streets in cities of this State and for the issuance of bonds in payment therefor," approved March 2, 1898, and the supplements and amendments thereto, be and they are hereby awarded to N. W. Halsey & Company, of the City of New oYrk, at their bid of 101.8699, and accrued interest for each one hundred dollars par value thereof, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds when duly executed to N. W. Halsey & Company, on the receipt of the amount of their bid therefor and accrued interest.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to return to the unsuccessful or lowest bidders the checks deposited with their bids for the $125,000 "Repavement Bonds" and $22,000 "Water Bonds."

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Gonzales, Foley, Buckley, Friedrichs, Wren, Bahrenburg, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Whereas, The Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, by petition presented to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken on the twenty-eighth day of July, nineteen hundred and nine, did request the said Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken to grant it permission to lay conduits and erect poles in all the public streets of the Ctiv of Hoboken and for other privileges as in said petition is more particularly set forth.

Resolved, That the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, hereby designate Monday, the sixteenth day of August, nineteen hundred and nine at the hour of two p. m., and that day as the time at the regular meeting room of the said Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, in the City Hall, Hoboken, N. J., as the place at which said Mayor and Council will consider such petition and the application therein and thereby made, and the Clerk of said city is hereby directed to cause notice of such applicatoin to be published according to law in The Observer and Inquirer, once a week for at least two weeks, and for at least fourteen days before the sixteenth day of August, nineteen hundred and nine, and further by posting such notice in five of the most public places in the City of Hoboken—City Hall, Public Library, United States Post Office, corner Newark and River streets, northwest corner of Washnigton and Newark streets, and the southwest corner of Fourteenth and Washington streets, at least fourteen days before the sixteenth day of August, nineteen hundred and nine.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That a conference be held in the office of the Mayor, at the City Hall, on Tuesday, August 3, 1909, ta 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of determining the terms and prrovisions of an ordinance granting to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company the franchise petitioned for and that the City Clerk be instructed to request the Board of Directors of the Ctiizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, or their committee, together with their counsel and the Corporation Attorney of the city to attend such conference for the purpose of drafting and preparing an ordinance granting such franchise and the terms thereof.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the repavement with asphalt pavement on the present block pavement the following named streets: Park avenue, from Seventh to Eleventh streets; Fourth street, from Hudson to Garden streets, according to plans and specifications drawn by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the repavement with granite blocks, on concrete foundation, the following named streets:

Newark street, from Washington to River street; Hudson street, from Newark street to Hudson Place, and Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly line of the city, according to plans and specifications drawn by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the repavement with macadam or bitulithic pavement of the following named streets: Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, and Eighth street, from Hudson street to Castle Point Terrace; River street, from Fifth to Sixth street, and Sixth street, from River to Hudson street, according to plans and specifications drawn by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the repavement with the present Belgian block pavement of the following named streets:

Willow avenue from Ferry to Third streets; Adams, from Fifth to Sixth streets; Jefferson, from First to Ferry streets; Monroe, from Fourth and Fifth streets; Fourth street from Monroe to Jackson streets; Jackson, from First to Paterson avenue; Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh streets, and Seventh street, from Willow avenue to Clinton street, according to plans and specifications drawn by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for the repavement of, with wood block pavement, on concrete foundation, the following named streets:

On Washington, Newark, First and Bloomfield streets (around the City Hall), and around School No. 7, on Park avenue and Newark streets, and around School No. 8, on Jefferson, Seventh and Adams streets, and on First street, from aGrden to Marshall streets, according to plans and specifications drawn by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, and on file in the City Clerk's office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely, Wren and Clark presente dthe ofllowing:

Resolved, That Frank Mitro be and he is hereby appointed an inspector on the repairing of sewer in Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street ,at a salary of $3 per day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely, Wren and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That James Cannon be and he is hereby appointed as inspector on the repairing of sewers in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, at a salary of $3 per day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely, Wren and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That Patrick Londrigan be and he is hereby appointed inspector on the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, at a salary of $3 per day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $1,603.19, in favor of the United States Wood Preserving Company, on the improvement of Second street, between Madison and Monroe streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 28, 1908, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $7,116.31, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of July, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $7,116.31, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of July, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,501.97, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of August, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,501.97, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of August, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Gonzales and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition of the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $7,061.82, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of July, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $7,061.82, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of July, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Gonzales and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,654.14, to pay salaries of the Fire Deparement for the first half month of August, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,654.14, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of August, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and McFeely presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of $500, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on

the Contingent Fund for the su mof $500, in favor of John J. Rudolph, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay currrent expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and McFeely presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Free Public Library Trustees for the sum of $3,000, to pay curent expenses of the Free Public Library, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $3,000, in favor of Ferdinand Kaegebehn, Treasurer of the Freee Public Library Trustees, to pay currrent expenses of the Free Public Library.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and McFeely presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the following applicants, who have petitioned tne Mayor and Council for donations for the proper observance of Memorial Day, respectfuly report that they have examined the same and offer the following:

Resolved, That tne City Clerk be and he i shereby directed to draw warrants for the following amounts, to the orders of the several organizations and to deliver the same to the duly accredited representatives, as per appropriations of the Board of Tax Commissioners:

Major Christian Woerner Post, No. 81	$60 00
Association of Exempt Firemen	75 00
Edward G. Brown Post, No. 44	60 00
Hoboken Veteran Corps	60 00
General Arthur McArthur Camp, No. 9	60 00
Christian Woerner Camp, No. 1	60 00
Company K, Fourth Regiment	60 00
Veteran Association, Company D, Ninth Regiment	60 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of July, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costelio, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay services for the first half month of August, 1909.

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00

Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper 37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper 30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman 25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver... 30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver 30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman 30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener 30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper 37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper 37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper 37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named named city officers, to pay salaries in full for the month of July, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician $83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney 150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue 125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue 100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall 75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor 116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks 100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct..... 75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
W. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk.. 100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner 166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper 60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk 116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor.. 208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court. 75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk..... 125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
George Malone, one month's salary as bath keeper 100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder 208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner 125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector 125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper 60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician 83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector 100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer 125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys.... 41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court 27 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court..... 250 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, August 11, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the meeting adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL MEETING.

A meeting held for the purpose of considering the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, for consent to use the city's streets, for the purposes set out in said petiion ,held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday, August 16, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Clark, Friederichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Foley and Chairman Whelan.

In the absence of the Chairman, Clerk Londrigan stated the first business in order would be the election of a Chairman pro tem.

Councilman Wren moved that Councilman Friedrichs be elected as Chairman pro tem.

Adopted.

The following communication was presented, read and received:

City Clerk's Office,
Hoboken, August 16 ,1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit the proof of publication, and posting of the notices in the matter of the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company.

Very respectfully yours,
JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

Chairman pro tem. Fredrichs announced this was the day of considering the petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company for consent to use the city's streets for the purposes set out in their petition presented to the Council, July 28, 1909.

No persons offering any objections to the granting of the consent sought in the aforesaid petition of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, Councilman Wren introduced the following ordinance:

An ordinance granting consent to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a corporation of New Jersey, to erect posts or poles and to string and sustain thereon the necessary wires and fixtures, and to open up all the public roads, highways, streets, avenues, alleys, parks and parkways and other public places in the City of Hoboken, N. J., and to lay pipes ,conduits and other apparatus ,and to run therein the necessary wires and fixtures, for the purpose of supplying and distributing to its customers electricity for electric light, heat and power.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Whereas, An ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting consent to the Citizens' Light Heat and Power Company, a corporation of New Jersey, to erect posts or poles and to string and sustain thereon the necessary wires and fixtures, and to open up all the public roads, highways, streets, avenues, alleys, parks, parkways and other public places in the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, and to lay pipes, conduits an dother apparatus ,an dto run therein the necessary wires and fixtures ,for the purpose of supplying and distributing to its customers electricity for electric light, heat and power," has been this day introduced in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act regulating the granting by municipalities of consent to the use of streets, avenues, parks, parkways, and other public places," approved March 27, 1906.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of the aforesaid act of the Legislature, the said ordinance be laid over for not less than 14 days ,to wit: until Wednesday afternoon, September 1, 1909, at the hour of 4 o'clock in the afternoon, to be acted upon.

On motion of Councilman Wren the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Foley and Chairman Whelan.

On motion of Councilman Zang the meeting adjourned to meet Wednesday afternoon, August 25, 1909, at 4 o'clock.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, August 25, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan..

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council, held on July 28, 1909; the stated session of the Council held on August 11, 1909, and the special session of the Council held on August 16, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Whereas, It has been ascertained that no surety bond company will hereafter issue its guarantee bond for a longer period than five years on pavement maintenance; and

Whereas, The specifications for wood block pavement require a guarantee bond for ten years; therefore be it

Resolved, That all bids received for repavement with wood block pavement be returned to the bidders unopened, and that said wood block improvement be readvertised for under a five-year guarantee bond for maintenance.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following proposals for the improvement with asphalt pavement were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Company:

For the improvement of Fourth street, from Hudson street to Garden street, with asphalt pavement.

We will contract to improve Fourth street, from Hudson street to Garden street, with asphalt pavement, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Asphalt pavement, 1,970 square yards, at on edollar and thirty-four cents ($1.34) per square yard.

Belgian block relaid, 2,000 square yards, at thirty-five (35) cetns per square yard.

New curb, 300 lineal feet, at sixty-five (65) cents per lineal foot.

Curb reset, 1,000 lineal feet, at seven (7) cents per lineal foot.

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Company:

For the improvement of Park avenue, from Seventh street to Eleventh street, with asphalt pavement.

We will contract to improve Park avenue, from Seventh street to Eleventh street, with asphalt pavement, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Asphalt pavement, 6,880 square yards, at one dollar and thirty-four cents ($1.34) per square yard.

Belgian block relaid, 2,000 square yards, thirty (30) cents per square yard.

New curb, 500 lineal feet, sixty-five (65) cent sper lineal foot.

Reset curb, 3,300 lineal feet, seven (7) cents per lineal foot.

The following proposals for the improvement with macadam or bitulithic pavement, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From George F. Brackett:

For the repaving of River street from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street from River to Hudson streets.

I will contract to repave River street, from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street, from River to Hudson streets, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the fololwing price or prices:

Macadam, at $1.11 per square yard.

Reset curb ,at 7 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, at 57 cents per lineal foot.

New crosswalks, at 50 cents per square foot.

Relay crosswalks, at 5 cents per square foot.

Repave gutter, at 20 cents per square yard.

Adjust basin, at $5 each.

From George F. Brackett:

For the repaving of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, and Eighth street, from Hudson street to Castle Point Terrace.

I will contract to repair with macadam pavement Castle Point Terrace, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Macadam, at $1.11 per square yard.

Reset curb, at 7 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, at 57 cents per lineal foot.

Relay crosswalk, at 5 cents per square foot.

New crosswalk ,at 50 cents per square foot.

Relay gutters, at 20 cents per square yard.

Reset basin, at $5 each.

From Standard Bitulithic Company:

For paving with bitulithic Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, and Eighth street from Hudson street to Castle Point Terrace.

I will contract to pave, curb, etc., in twenty (20) working days, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For bitulithic pavement, per square yard, two dollars and eighteen cents ($2.18).

For resetting curb, per lineal foot ,eighteen cents ($.18).

For new curb, per lineal foot, sixty-nine cents ($.69).

For crosswalks relaid, per square foot, five cents ($.05).

For new croswalks, per square foot, fifty-five cents ($.55).

For broken stone furnished, per cubic yard ,one dollar and sixty cents ($1.60).

For basins adjusted, five dollars ($5.00) each.

From Standard Bitulithic Company:

For the repaving of River street, from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street from River to Hudson.

I will contract to pave, curb, etc., in twenty (20) working days, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For bitulithic pavement, per square yard, two dollars and eighteen cents ($2.18).

For resetting curb, per lineal foot, eighteen cents ($.18).

For new curb, per lineal foot, sixty-nine cents ($.69).

For crosswalks relaid, per square foot, five cents ($.05).

For new crosswalks, per square foot, fifty-five cents ($.55).

For broken stone furnished, per cubic yard, one dollar and sixty cents ($1.60).

For basins adjusted, five dollars ($5.00) each.

From Van Keuren & Son:

For macadam pavement on River street, from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street, from Hudson to River streets.

I will contract to perform the following work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Macadam pavement, G. F. B. compound, $1.23 per square yard.

Curb reset, 5 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, 60 cents per lineal foot.

Relaid crosswalk, 7 cents per square foot.

New crosswalks, 60 cents per square foot.

Relaying Belgian blocks in gutter, 50 cents per square yard.

Receiving basins heads reset, $5 each.

From Van Keuren & Son:

For macadam pavement for Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, and Eighth street from Hudson street to Castle Point Terrace.

I will contract to perform the following work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Macadam pavement, G. F. B. compound, $1.23 per square yard.

Curb reset, 5 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, 60 cents per lineal foot.

Relaid crosswalks, 7 cents per square foot.

New crosswalks, 60 cents per square foot.

Relaid Belgian blocks in gutter, 50 cents per square yard.

Receiving basin heads reset, $5 each.

The following proposals for the improvement with specification block pavement on concrete base, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From E. M. Mullins & Co.:

For paving Newark street, from Washington to River street, with specification block on six-inch concrete base.

We will contract to do the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

New paving, per square yard, three dollars and fifty cents ($3.50).

Repaving, per square yard, fifty (50) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, twelve (12) cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, sixty (60) cents.

Relay crosswalk, per square foot, ten (10) cents.

New crosswalk, per square foot, fifty (50) cents.

Receiving basins raised and adjusted, five dollars ($5).

From E. M. Mullins & Co.:

For paving Hudson street, from Newark street to Hudson Place, and Hudson Place, from Hudson street to easterly line of city, on concrete base.

We will contract to do the above work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the o%ce of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

New paving, per square yard, three dollars and fifty cents ($3.50).

Repaving, per square yard, fifty (50) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, twelve (12) cents.

New Curb, per lineal foot, sixty (60) cents.

Relaid crosswalk, per square foot, ten (10) cents.

New crosswalk, per square foot, fifty (50) cents.

Receiving basins raised and adjusted, five dollars ($5).

New basin, ninety dollars ($90).

From Henry Waddington:

For the improvement of Newark street, between Washington and River streets.

I will contract to do al lwork according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the o%ce of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per square yard of new paving, two dollars and eighty-five cents ($2.85).

Per square yard of repaving, fifty (50) cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb, fifty (50) cents.

Per square foot of crosswalks relaid, ten (10) cents.

Per square fot of new crosswalk, fifty (50) cents.

Receiving basins raised and adjusted, ten dollars ($10).

From Henry Waddington:

For the improvement of Hudson Place and Hudson street.

I will contract to all work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per square yard of new paving, two dollars an deighty-five cents ($2.85).

Per square yard of repaving, fifty (50) cents.

Per lineal foot of curb reset, ten (10) cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb, sixty (60) cents.

Per square foot of crosswalks relaid, ten (10) cents.

Per square foot of new crosswalk, fifty (50) cents.

For each basin adjusted, ten dollars ($10).

For each new basin, one hundred dollars ($100).

The following proposals for the improvement with present Belgian block pavement, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessmetns:

From Peter J. Heagney:

For the improvement with the present Belgian block pavement on Willow avenue, from Henry to Third street.

I will contract to do said work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Rejaving, (55) cents per square yard.

Curb reset (15) cents per linenel foot.

New curb (65) cents linenel foot.

Relaid crosswalk (10) cents square foot.

New crosswalk (60) cents per square foot.

Filling (40) cents per cubic yard.

Basin readjusted, ($10) ten dollars each.

From Henry Waddington:

For repaving Willow avenue from Ferry to Third street.

I will contract to do all work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per square yard of repaving (49) cents.

Per lineal foot of curb reset (10) cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb (50) cents.

Per square foot of crosswalk relaid (10) cents.

Per lineal foot of new crosswalks (50) cents.

Percubic yard of filling (50) cents.

Per receiving basins raised ,each ($10) dollars.

From Walter E. Stanton:

For the improvement with present Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue, from Ferry to Third street.

I will contract to furnish labor and material, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, seventy (70) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, fifteen (15) cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, seventy-five (75) cents.

Reelaid crosswalk, per square foot, seven (7) cents.

New crosswalk, per square foot, sixty-five (65) cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, forty (40) cetns.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, twenty dollars ($20).

From Henry Waddington:

For repaving Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth street.

I will contract to do all wrk according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per square yard of repaving, fifty (50) cents.

Per lineal foot of curb reset, seven (7) cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb, fifty-five (55) cents.

Per square foot of crosswalks relaid, five (5) cents.

Per square foot of new crosswalks, fifty (50) cents.

Per cubic yard of filling, fifty (50) cents.

For each basin raised, ten dollars ($10).

From Walter E. Stanton:

For the improvement with present Belgian block pavement, Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth street.

I will contract to furnish labor and material, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, eighty-five (85) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, twenty (20) cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, eighty-five (85) cents.

Relaid crosswalks, per square foot, ten (10) cents.

New crosswalks, per square foot, seventy-five (75) cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, fifty (50) cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted twenty-five dollars ($25).

From Thomas Cavanagh:

For the improvement with the present Belgian block pavement on Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth street.

I will contract to do soid work, according to th eadvertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, sixty (60) cents per square yard.

Curb reset, fifteen (15) cents per lineal foot.

New curb, eighty (80) cents per lineal foot.

Relaid crosswalks, twenty (20) cents per square foot.

New crosswalks, eighty (80) cents per square foot.

Basin readjusted, twelve dollars ($12).

From Peter J. Heagney:

For the repaving of Adam sstreet, from Fifth to Sixth street.

I will contract to furnish all material and labor, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans fo rthe same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, fifty-five (55) cents per square yard.

Curb reset, fifteen (15) cents per lineal foot.

New curb, sixty-five (65) cents per lienal foot.

Relaid crosswalks ten (10) cents per square foot.

New crosswalks, sixty (60 cents per square foot.

Filling, forty (40) cents per cubic yard.

Basins readjusted, ten dollars ($10) each.

From Walter E. Statnon:

For the improvement with present Belgian block pavement, Jefferson street, from First to Ferry street.

I will contract to furnish labor and material according to the advertisement, specification sand plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, seventy (70) cents.

Curb reset, per linea lfoot, twenty (20) cetns.

New curb, per lineal foot, seventy (70) cents.

Relaid crosswalks, per square foot, fifteen (15) cents.

New crosswalks, per square foot, sixty (60) cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, forty (40) cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, twenty dollars ($20).

From Henry Waddington:

For repaving of Jefferson street, between Ferry and First streets.

I will contract to do all work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per square yard of repaving, fifty (50) cents.

Per lineal foot of curb reset, ten (10) cents.

Per lienal foot of ne wcurb, fifty (50) cents.

Per square foot of crosswalks relaid, five (5) cent.s

Per square foot of new crosswalks, fifty (50) cents.

Per cubic yard of filling, fifty (50) cents.

For each basin raised, ten dollars ($10).

From Peter J. Heagney:

For the repaving of Jefferson street, from First to Ferry streets.

I will contract to furnish all labor and material according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the cit yof Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, sixty-seven (67) cents per square yard.

Curb reset, fifteen (15) cents per lineal foot.

New curb, seventy-five (75) cents per lineal foot.

Relaid crosswalk, twenty (20) cents per square foot.

New crosswalk, sixty-five (65) cents per square foot.

Filling, fifty (50) cents per cubic yard.

Basins readjusted, ten (10) dollars each.

From Thos. Cavanagh:

For the improveemnt with the present Belgian block pavement on Monroe street, from Fourth to Fifth streets, and Fourth street, from Monroe to Jackson streets.

I will contract to do said work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the city of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, eighty-nine (89) cents per square yard.

Curb reset, ten (10) cents per lineal foot.

New curb, ninety (90) cents per lineal foot.

Relaying crosswalk, fifteen (15) cents per square foot.

New crosswalk, seventy-five (75) cents per square foot.

Filling, sixty-five (65) cents per cubic yard.

Basin readjusted, fifteen (15) dollars.

From Walter E. Stanton:

For improvement with present Belgian block pavement, Monroe street, from Fourth to Fifth streets, and Fourth street, from Monroe street to Jackson street.

I will contract to furnish labor and material according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the city of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, ninety-five (95) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, thirty (30) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, thirty (30) cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, eighty (80) cents.

Relaid corsswalks, per square foot, fifteen (15) cents.

New crosswalks, per square foot, eighty (80) cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, eighty-five (85) cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, twenty (20) dollars.

From Henry Waddington:

For repaving Jackson street, from First street to Paterson avenue.

I will contract to do all work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price of prices:

Per square yard of repaving, fifty (50) cents.

Per lineal foot of curb reset, ten (10) cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb, fifty (50) cents.

Per square foot of crosswalks relaid, ten (10) cents.

Per square foot of new crosswalks, fifty (50) cents.

Per cubic yard of filling, fifty (50) cents.

For each basin adjusted, ten dollars ($10).

From William A. Connell:

For the improvement with Belgian block pavement of Jackson street, from First street to Paterson avenue.

I will contract to furnish labor and material, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, eighty (80) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, twenty (20) cetns.

New curb, per lineal foot, sixty (60) cent.s

Relaid crosswalks, per square foot, ten (10) cents.

New crosswalks, per square foot, sixty (60) cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, fifty (50) cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, per basin, five dollars ($5).

From Thomas Cavanagh:

For the improvemetn with the present Belgian block pavement or Jackson street, from First street to Paterson avenue.

I will contract to do said work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, nienty-five (95) cents per square yard.

Curb reset, ten (10) cents per lineal foot.

New curb, one dollar ($1.00) per lineal foot.

Relaid crosswalks, twenty (20) cents per square foot.

New crosswalks, seventy-five (75) cetns per square foot.

Filling, eighty (80) cents per cubic yard.

Basins readjusted, twenty dollars ($20).

From Henry Waddington:

For repaving of Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh street, and Seventh street, from Willow avenue to Clinton street.

I will contract to do all work, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per square yard of repaving, fifty (50) cents.

Per lineal foot of curb reset, ten (10) cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb, fifty (50) cents.

Per square foot of crosswalks relaid, ten (10) cents.

Per square foot of new crosswalks, fifty (50) cents.

Per cubic yard of filling, fifty (50) cents.

For each receiving basin adjusted, five dollars ($5).

From Walter E. Stanton:

For the improvement with present Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh street; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh street, and Seventh street, from Willow avenue to Clinton street.

I will contract to furnish labor and material, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, sixty-five (65) cents.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, fifteen (15) cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, sixty (60) cents.

Relaid crosswalks, per square foot, ten (10) cents.

New crosswalks, per square foot, fifty (50) cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, forty (40) cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, twenty dollars ($20).

Invitation to attend the third annual picnic of the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association of Hoboken, to be held at Grand View Park, on Wednesday evening, August 25, 1909, was presented, read and accepted.

Communication from St. John's Church, of Bloomfield and Third streets, protesting against the granting of a liquor license at No. 300 Washington street, was presented, read and referrred to the Committee on Licenses.

Communication from the Hoboken Cemetery Trustees, enclosing a copy of a resolution recommending that the sum of $5,000 be invested for the benefit of the Cemetery Fund in improvement certificates of the city of Hoboken, was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Communication from the Barber Asphalt Paving Company, submitting samples of asphaltic cement for bids of August 25, 1909, was presented, read and referrred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the United Aid Society of Hoboken, requesting the Council to have a warrant drawn to the order for $1,000, being the amount appropriated by the Board of Tax Commissioners, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Lincoln Republican Club, relative to redistricting certain election districts in this city, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Communication from Warren Bros., enclosing a general license agreement for the laying of bitulithic paveemnt, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

An order to show cause from the New Jersey Supreme Court, Atlantic Boat Club, prosecutors; and the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, North German Lloyd Dock Co. and the North German Lloyd, respondents; was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

An alternative writ of mandamus from the New Jersey Supreme Court, the State, ex rel, George Gonzales vs. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

Release of Thomas Cavanagh and Peter J. Heagney, to the Water Commissioners of the City of Hoboken, and the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following petitions for license and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For wholesale liquor license: Louis Greenberg.

For retail liquor licenses: David Schioffino, Capelli & Briaseo, Carl Mueller, George A. Bernhardt, John C. Hammel, Ernst Bartels, Henry Moller, Joseph Pantoliano, Michael Mulqueen, Gustav A. Gehm, Adrian Van Kampen, John Barry, Paul Ficker, William Jenne, Frank Valla, Frank Ambrosino, Christ Holterling, Max Schnieweis, Joseph Becker, John Stroebele, Eugene Biggio, Hans Ramlok, August Puck, Podesta & Arata, Joseph Moglia, John H. Behnken, Fritz Tittlebach, Henry Schriefer.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Ferdinand Simonich, Edward M. Carey, Charles Klock, Eiml Franetovich, Henry Servas, Henry Fengler, Eugen Buchholz.

For peddlers' licenses: Carmine Vettoso, Francesco Mancini, Jacob Orner, Pasquale Bornelli, William Ford, Michael Smuvik, Nicholas N. Schenck.

For theatre licenses: A. M. Bruggemann, Gayety Theatre Co.

For moving pictures license: William H. Peck.

For hack licenses: Theodore Wendt, Adolf H. Peters, John Schaeffer.

For porter's licenses: August Moos, Samuel Blaustein, James Terenyi.

For junkman's license: Alfonso Sperone.

For truckman's license: A. Bevins Co.

For musician's license: Frencesco Ferrari.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for June, 1909	$51 50
Timothy J. Conlin, 9 days' services to Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	27 00
Michael M. Gatschnik, photographs of Hudson and Ferry streets	25 00
Leo Mayer, insurance on Engine House No. 2	52 50
Leo Mayer, insurance on Engine House No. 2	52 50
Leo Mayer, insurance on Ambulance House	60 00
P. J. Murray, securing information for Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	17 01

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., repairing electric bells at Police Headquarters	8 50
A. Anone, metal ceilings in Armory	80 00
A. Anone, metal ceilings and soffets on stairs in City Hall	99 00
Billington & Bishop, supplies furnished City Hall	23 03
Billington & Bishop, seven large awnings for City Hall	49 00
Billington & Bishop, fourteen large awnings for City Hall	98 00
Billington & Bishop, putting up and repairs to awnings at Hudson Square Park	9 50
Billington & Bishop, ten awnings for City Hall	58 00
Waterbury Rubber Mfg. Co., 75 feet of rubber hose	11 25
Kogge Bros., plants furnished Hudson Square Park	45 00
H. Schriever, repairs to flagpole at City Hall	9 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Public Bath	36 15
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished parks	34 80
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished parks	5 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished parks	5 00
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall, for the quarter ending March, 1909	63 10
J. B. Collins, half-gross large-size roach powder	50 40
W. A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of sweeping powder	16 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	87 47
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	27 34
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished street department	19 25
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	39 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	36 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from July 25, to August 25, 1909	791 66

To the Committee on Sewers:

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	10 00
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	9 65

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Inquirer, publishing proposals	85 80
Powell H. Curtis, two steel die plates for City Treasurer	8 00
The Democrat, advertising $22,000 water bonds	48 00

The Observer, publishing minutes of July 28, August 11 and August 16, 1909 ..... 308 50
The Observer, publishing tax ordinance 486 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 64 25
The Observer, publishing proposals, ordinances, etc..... 542 46
Powell H. Curtis, stationery furnished 14 50
The Democrat, publishing proposals 73 00
The Evening Journal Association, publishing notice of opening of Free Public Bath 18 00
The Evening Journal Association, publishing notice of opening of Free Public Bath 9 00
The Evening Journal Association, publishing notice of opening of Free Public Bath 21 00
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals "Repavement Bonds" 25 20
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals, repairs to Jackson street sewer 18 90
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals, removal of ashes and garbage 25 20
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals water bonds 23 10
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals, improvement of Madison street, Eighth to Ninth street 27 30
The Evening Journal Association, publishing notice of lighting franchise 35 28
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals, repairs to sewers 21 00
The Evening Journal Association, publishing ordinance, improvement of Madison street, Eighth to Ninth streets 2100
The Evening Journal Association, publishing prooosals for financial statement 18 90
The Evening Journal Association, publishing ordinance, "Repavement Bonds" 96 60
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals for coal and wood 21 00

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for the month of June, 1909 ..... 39 90
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for July, 1909 ..... 32 70
Public Service Corporation, electric current supplied public buildings for July, 1909 ..... 225 42
Public Service Corporation, electric current supplied fans in Recorder's Court for season 1909 ..... 24 00
Public Service Corporation, street lighting, etc., for July, 1909 ..... 1,991 35

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Mary Fosdick, caring for homeless. 10 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners 46 50
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners 12 05
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M..... 15 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners 12 05
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M..... 15 00

To the Committee on Alms:

Frank J. Kopp, groceries furnished the poor 32 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished ambulance 20 75
William Disch, burial of poor 6 50
C. Hergenhan, bread tickets furnished the poor 10 00
John Schmalz' Sons, bread tickets furnished the poor 20 00
C. F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor 27 00
H. Tomford, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
F. W. Traeger, supplies furnished Overseer of Poor 61 60
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
A. Friedman, care of homeless 8 50
J. Hage, care of homeless 3 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor 18 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
L. H. Hilke, care of homeless..... 4 00
Joseph Kostelecky, repairs to ambulance 21 75
Eckhoff & Co., groceries furnished the poor 15 00
S. Cadematory, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
Billington & Bishop, supplies furnished Police Department 1 49
Otto C. Luehs, transportation of poor 4 00
F. J. Mullally, medical supplies furnished Overseer of Poor..... 75 00
F. J. Mullally, medical supplies furnished Overseer of Poor..... 105 55
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor 18 00

George F. Burger, medicine furnished the poor 11 15
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor 50 00
E. W. Fuldner, burial of poor..... 19 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor, etc. 1,634 00

The following communication from His Honor, Mayor Steil, was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, Aug. 25, 1909.

To the Honorable the Board of Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I beg to call your attention to the condition of the outlet of the Washington and Newark street sewer at the foot of Newark street, and suggest that a conference be arranged between the Committee on Sewers and the officials of the D., L. & W. Railroad and myself, and the nuisance there existing be abated.

Very respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney was presented, read and received:

Office Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, Aug. 13, 1909.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I have this day delivered to the City Clerk the deed of conveyance made by Joseph A. Rennolds and Philip J. Rennolds, composing the firm of J. A. Rennolds and Brother, and Joseph A. Rennolds, individually, and Louise D. Rennolds, his wife, of the City of Richmond, in the County of Henrico and State of Virginia, and Philip J. Rennolds (widower) individually, of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, in the County and State of New York, to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, of the premises known as lots numbers six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block number thirty (30), on a certain map entitled "Map of property situate at Hoboken, Hudson County, New Jersey, belonging to the estate of John G. Coster, deceased, surveyed and laid out into lots November, 1860, by Daniel Ewen and Austin D. Ewen, City Surveyors, New York," and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Hudson, which said lots taken together are bounded as follows: Westerly in front by Jefferson street one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet; northerly by lot thirteen (13) in said block, as laid down on said map one hundred (100) feet; easterly in rear by lots numbers twenty-nine (29), twenty-eight (28), twenty-seven (27), twenty-six (26), twenty-five (25), twenty-four (24), twenty-three (23), in said block, as laid down on the aforesaid map (the said easterly boundary line being the centre line of said block) and southerly by lot number five (5) in said block as laid down on said map one hundred (100) feet; said lots taken together being one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet in front and rear and one hundred (100) feet in depth on either side; the southerly line of said lots being parallel with and one hundred and twenty-five feet northerly from First street. Said deed bears date May 29, 1909, and was duly acknowledged, and thereafter duly recorded in the Register's office of the County of Hudson, in book 1037 of deeds, on page 493, &c.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney was presented, read and referred to the Committee of the Whole:

Office Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, Aug. 17, 1909.

To the Honorable, the Common Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—At your last regular meeting you adopted a resolution which was fathered by Councilman Gonzales, reciting that whereas the Public Service Corporation has taken possession of a part of Ferry street for the use of its railroad, and that the Corporation Attorney be instructed to collect a rental from said corporation for the use of the city streets, the amount of such rental to be determined by the Corporation Attorney.

I have to advise you that the powers and functions conferred upon you by law which involve the exercise of your judgment and discretion in the conduct of municipal affairs cannot be delegated to the Corporation Attorney. If you were authorized to collect a rental from the Public Service Corporation for the use of city streets, the amount thereof would have to be determined by you, and you are not empowered to delegate your powers in this respect to the Corporation Attorney.

The Public Service Company, as you are aware, has unlawfully taken possession of certain streets, to which I directed your attention in my letter of July 23, 1909.

No municipal authority has been given to said company to erect or maintain the obstructions and excavations now existing upon the streets in question, and consequently the said company, in erecting and maintaining such nuisance, is a flagrant trespasser.

No action for rent can be maintained against said company because the relation of landlord and tenant does not exist between the city of Hoboken and said company; and for mere use and occupation, such as in the case in question, the law does not raise any promise to pay rent; and especially is it true that an action for use and occupation cannot be maintained against one who holds adversely or is a trespasser.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of July, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following report of Collector of Revenue Bowes was presented, read and received:

Office Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, Aug. 23, 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year commencing 12 m. May 3, 1909, and ending 12m. July 31, 1909:

Arrears of Taxes:		
Arrears of taxes of 1905, principal and interest.	$245 45	
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest.	216 11	
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest.	2,004 03	
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest.	32,916 68	
		$35,382 27
Assessments:		
Madison street, paving, etc., between Fifth and Eighth streets, principal and interest.	$123 25	
Madison street, grading, etc., between Eighth and Fifteenth streets, principal and interest.	28,836 94	
		$28,960 19
Interest:		
On daily balances, First National Bank		70 85
Error made by Second National Bank		02
Total		$64,413 33

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Total arrears of taxes..	$35,382 27
Total assessments.....	28,960 19
Total inteerst from bank	70 85
Total error of bank.....	02
	$64,413 33
Paid City Treasurer James Smith.	$64,413 33

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

The following specifications were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Repaving with wood block on concrete base in front of School No. 7, on Park avenue and Newark street, from Park avenue to Willow avenue.

Repaving with wood block on concrete base of streets around City Hall.

Repaving with wood block on concrete base of First street, from Garden to Marshall streets.

Repaving with wood block on concrete base of streets around School No. 8.

Repaving with new specification block on concrete base of Hudson Place, from Hudson street to easterly city line, and Hudson street from Newark street to a point south of Hudson Place.

Repaving with new specification block on concrete base of Newark street from Washington to River streets.

Repaving with bitulithic pavement, River street from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street from Hudson to River streets.

Repaving with bitulithic pavement Castle Point Terrace from Eighth to Tenth streets, and Eighth street east of Hudson street.

Repaving with macadam pavement River street from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street from Hudson to River streets.

Repaving with macadam pavement Castle Point Terrace from Eighth to Tenth streets, and Eighth street east of Hudson street.

Repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Jefferson street from Ferry street to First street.

Repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Jackson street from Paterson avenue to First street.

Repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Adams street from Fifth to Sixth streets.

Repaving the present Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue from Sixth to Seventh streets, Clinton street from Sixth to Seventh streets, and Seventh street from Clinton street to Willow avenue.

Repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue from Ferry to Third streets.

Repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Monroe street from Fourth to Fifth streets, and Fourth street from Monroe to Jackson street.

Laying asphalt pavement on the present Belgian block pavement in Fourth street, between Hudson and Garden streets.

Laying asphalt pavement on the present Belgian block pavement in Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Alfonso Sperone, as junk dealer.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $63, in favor of James Cannon, inspector on repairs of Monroe street sewer, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,030, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on the repairs on sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $49.50, in favor of Frank A. Mitro, for services as inspector on sewer in Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $6,834.27, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of August, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $6,726.78, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of September, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $5,951.11, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of August, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,654.14, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of September, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly city line; Hudson street, from Newark street to a point south of Hudson Place; Newark street, from Washington to River streets; Jefferson street, from Ferry to First streets; Jackson street, from Paterson avenue to First street; Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth streets; Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Seventh street, from Clinton street to Willow avenue; Willow avenue, from Ferry to Third streets; Monroe street, from Fourth to Fifth streets; Foutrh street, from Monroe to Jackson streets, Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, and Fourth street, between Hudson and Garden streets.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Newark street, from Park to Willow avenues; in front of School No. 7, on Park avenue; First street, from Garden to Marshall streets; Washington street, from Newark to First streets; Bloomfield street, from Newark to First streets; Newark street, from Washington to Bloomfield streets; First street, from Washington to Bloomfield streets; around City Hall; Adams street, in front of School No. 8; Jefferson street, in front of School No. 8; Seventh street, between Adams and Jefferson streets; around No. 8 School.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets; Eighth street, from Hudson street to Castle Point Terrace; River street,

from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street, from Hudson to River streets.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:
Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely,

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each:

For wholesale liquor license: Louis Greenberg.

For retail liquor licenses: David Schioffino, Capelli & Briaseo, Carl Mueller, George A. Bernhardt, John C. Hammel, Ernst Bartels, Henry Moller, Joseph Pantoliano, Michael Mulqueen, Gustav A. Gehm, Adrian Van Kampen, John Barry, Paul Ficker, William Jenne, Frank Valla, Frank Ambrosino, Christ Holterling, Max Schnieweis, Joseph Becker, John Stroebele, Eugene Biggio, Hans Ramlok, August Puck, Podesta & Arata, Joseph Moglia, John H. Behnken, Fritz Tittlebach, Henry Schriefer.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Ferdinand Simonich, Edward M. Carey, Charles Klock, Eiml Franetovich, Henry Servas, Henry Fengler, Eugen Buchholz.

For peddlers' licenses: Carmine Vettoso, Francesco Mancini, Jacob Orner, Pasquale Bornelli, William Ford, Michael Smuvik, Nicholas N. Schenck.

For theatre license : A. M. Bruggemann,

For moving pictures license: William H. Peck.

For hack licenses: Theodore Wendt, Adolf H. Peters, John Schaeffer.

For porter's licenses: August Moos, Samuel Blaustein, James Terenyi.

For junkman's license: Alfonso Sperone.

For truckman's license: A. Bevins Co.

For musician's license: Frencesco Ferrari.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

P. J. Ryan, insurance on Free Public Library building	$67 50
Carey Bros., insurance on contents in the office of Board of Health	16 20
The Inquirer, publishing proposals and ordinance	233 00
The Inquirer, publishing ordinance	46 20
The Inquirer, publishing notice of lighting franchies	92 40
The Inquirer, publishing notice of openin gof Free Public Bath	31 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	36 00
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from July 25, to August 25, 1909	791 66
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	10 00
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	9 65
The Inquirer, publishing proposals	85 80
Powell H. Curtis, two steel die plates for City Treasurer	8 00
The Democrat, advertising $22,000 water bonds	48 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of July 28, August 11 and August 16, 1909	308 50
The Observer, publishing tax ordinance	486 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	64 25
The Observer, publishing proposals, ordinances, etc.	542 46
Powell H. Curtis, stationery furnished	14 50
The Democrat, publishing proposals	73 00
Mary Fosdick, caring for homeless	10 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	46 50
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	12 05
Frank J. Kopp, groceries furnished the poor	32 00
J. M. aPtterson, supplies furnished ambulance	20 75
William Disch, burial of poor	6 50
C. Hergenhan, bread tickets furnished the poor	10 00
John Schmalz' Sons, bread tickets furnished the poor	20 00

C. F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor 27 00
H. Tomford, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
F. W. Traeger, supplies furnished Overseer of Poor 61 50
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
A. Friedman, care of homeless 8 50
J. Hage, care of homeless 3 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor 18 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
L. H. Hilke, care of homeless..... 4 00
Joseph Kostelecky, repairs to ambulance 21 75
Eckhoff & Co., groceries furnished the poor 15 00
S. Cadematory, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
Billington & Bishop, supplies furnished Police Department 1 49
Otto C. Luehs, transportation of poor 4 00
F. J. Mullally, medical supplies furnished Overseer of Poor..... 75 00
F. J. Mullally, medical supplies furnished Overseer of Poor..... 105 55
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor 18 00
George F. Burger, medicine furnished the poor 11 15
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor 50 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor, etc. 1,634 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Printingand Stationery, to whom was referred the following claim, reported the same correct:
G. M. Hopkins, two volumes Hudson County Atlas $35 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claim ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays — Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Fredrichs and Gonzales.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for the repaving with wood block on concrete base in front of School No. 7, on Park avenue and Newark street, from Park avenue to Willow avenue, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with wood block on concrete base of streets around the City Hall, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with wood block on concrete base of First street, from Garden to Marshall street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with wood block on concrete base of streets around School No. 8, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with new specification block on concrete base of Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly city line, and Hudson street, from Newark street to a point

south of Hudson Place, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with new specification block on concrete base of Newark street, from Washington street to River street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with bitulithic pavement, River street, from Fifth to Sixth street, and Sixth street, from Hudson to River street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with bitulithic pavement, Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth street, and Eighth street, east of Hudson street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with macadam pavement, River street, from Fifth to Sixth street, and Sixth street, from Hudson to River street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with macadam pavement Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth street, and Eighth street, east of Hudson street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Jefferson street, from Ferry street to First street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Jackson street, from Paterson avenue to First street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh street; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh street, and Seventh street, from Clinton street to Willow avenue, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue, from Ferry to Third street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Monroe street, from Fourth to Fifth street, and Fourth street, from Monroe street to Jackson street, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for laying asphalt pavement on the present Belgian block pavement in Fourth street, between Hudson and Garden streets, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for laying asphalt pavement on the present Belgian block pavement in Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, reported in favor of accepting and approving the specifications.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the specifications accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $257, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on ten receiving basins, reported the asme correct:

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $100, in favor of himself as engineer on ten receiving basins, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $63, in favor of James Cannon, inspector on repairs to sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,030, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor, for repair to sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $49.50, in favor of Frank A. Mitro, inspector on sewer in Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committeee on Fire and Water, to who mwas referred the following applications for exempt certificates, reported in favor

of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

J. S. Weinthal, L. C. Schach, Charles Hoffmann.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the certificates granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the paving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Henry Waddington the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the paving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry Waddington, at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the paving of Hudson Place, and of Hudson street, from Newark street to Hudson Place, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Henry Waddington the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the paving of Hudson Place and of Hudson street, from Newark street to Hudson Place, be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry Waddington, at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That William Connell, contractor on the rebuilding of the box sewer on Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenu, be and he is herby directed to continu the said sewer to Ferry street, at the price of his contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Buckley, Gonzales and Foley presented the following:

Whereas, The Corporation Attorney has suggested to the Mayor and Council the advisability of an abandonment by the Board of Education of the City of Hoboken of further proceedings, by way of condemnation, relating to the acquisition of the so-called Wendell property, situate on Garden street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and the acquisition in lieu thereof of such part of the so-called Stevens property as may be deemed most desirable for a High School site.

Resolved, That the Council meet as a Committee of the Whole, in conjunction with His Honor the Mayor and the Corporation Attorney, for the purpose of duly considering the aforesaid matter, and that the Board of Education of the City of Hoboken be requested to meet with the Committee of the Whole and His Honor the Mayor and the Corporation Attorney, at such time as may be agreeable, to enable a full and fair discussion of the aforesaid matter, with a view of the city acquiring a satisfactory site for a High School and the erection of a High School thereon, said meeting to be held on

Wednesday, September 15, 1909, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely; Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Whereas, The Board of Tax Commissioners have appropriated the sum of $1,000 to the United Aid Society of Hoboken; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant in the sum of $1,000 to the order of Rev. William R. Jenvey, president of said society.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,834.27, to pay salaries, etc., of the police department for the last half month of August, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directd to draw a warrant on the police fund for the sum of $6,834.27, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the police department for the last half month of August, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,726.78, to pay salaries of the police department for the first half month of September, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Rsolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the police fund for the sum of $6,726.78 in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries of the police department for the first half month of September 1,909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $5,951.11, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the last half month of August, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the fire fund for the sum of $5,951.11, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of August, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,654.14, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of September, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is directed to draw a warrant on the fire fund for the sum of $4,654.14 in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissoiners ,to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of September, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for two hundred and fifty-seven dollars ($257) in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, on the improvement of ten receiving basins, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Sur-

veyor, presented July 13, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for one hundred dollars ($100) in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of ten receiving basins, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Survyor, presented July 13, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for forty-nine dollars and fifty cents ($49.50) in favor of Frank A. Mitro, inspector on the improvement of Jackson street sewer, between First street and Paterson avenue, as per crtificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, presented August 25, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for sixty-three dollars ($63) in favor of James Cannon, inspector on the improvement of Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, prsented August 25, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for one thousand and thirty dollars ($1,030) in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on the improvement of repairing Monroe street sewer, between Fourth and Fifth streets, as per crtificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented August 25, 1909, and reported correctt his date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of August, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay services for the first half month of September, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper $30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets 32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper 30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper 37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper 30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman 25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver... 30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver 30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman 30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener 30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper 37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper 37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper 37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named named city officers, to pay salaries in full for the month of August, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician $83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney 150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue 125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue 100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall 75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor 116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks 100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct..... 75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
W. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk.. 100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner 166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper 60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk 116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor.. 208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court. 75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk..... 125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
George Malone, one month's salary as bath keeper 100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder 208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner 125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector 125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper 60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician 83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector 100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer 125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys.... 41 66

John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court 26 00

Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court..... 250 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, September 1, 1909, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, September 1, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Petition from William Bigley ,of 1400 Willow avenue, requesting a refund of retail liquor license paid by him, as said premises has been torn down, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses.

Petition from Isidor H. Brand, representing Miscal Kriestie and Jacob Greenberg, requesting the return of moneys for peddlers licenses paid by them, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licnses.

Petition from property owners residing at Castle Point Terace, requesting that Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets, be repaved with brick pavement, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assesments.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenss:

For retail liquor licenses: Sylvester Lusich, John Formoso, Michael Bogaik, Conrad Becker, Henry Muller, Simon Beer, Fritz Schlosser.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Martin Weiss, George Ploner.

For peddlers' licenses: Manuel Lazaro, Antonio Padrone, Charles Fisher, Star Specialty Co.

The following claims were presented, read and referred to the various committees:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Lindabury, Depue & Falks, taxed costs in city suti for taxes.....	$52 29
Lindabury, Depue & Falks, taxed costs in city suit for taxes.....	61 29
Albert S. Schiller, insurance on Engine House No. 4.....	124 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	$20 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	$386 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	214 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	306 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	328 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	373 50
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	17 50
Pay roll, repairing streets.....	21 00
Pay roll, repairing plumbers' openings	21 00
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement	103 04

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drain	$57 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drain	49 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drain	63 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	14 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	24 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing pavement bonds	$137 50
Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing water bonds	90 00

To the Committee on Alms:

I. Weisman, groceries furnished poor	$12 00
F. Rech, groceries furnished por...	3 00
M. Romano, groceries furnished poor	12 00
Emil LeFevre, care of homeless...	3 50

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., September 1, 1909.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—Herewith return without my approval enclosed resolution passed by your honorable body August 25th, 1909. My reason for so doing is that no appropriation for this work has been made.

Yours very respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following petition for a license, reported the same correct:

For retail liquor license: Paul Servas.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was receive dand the license granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Park avenue, from Seventh to Eleventh streets, beg leav to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Park avenue, from Seventh to Eleventh streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company at the price named in their proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Councilmen Bahrenburg and Friedrichs appeared and took their seats.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the removal of ashes, garbage, rubbish, street sweepings, etc., beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Peter A. Peluso the lowest and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the removal of ashes, garbage, rubbish, street sweepings, etc., be and the same is hereby awarded to Peter A. Peluso, at the price named in his proposal, viz., $12,995 per year, beginning September 25, 1909; and, further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

An ordinance granting consent to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a corporation of New Jersey, to erect posts or poles and to string and sustain thereon the necessary wires and fixtures and to open all the public roads, highways, streets, avenues, alleys, parks, parkways and other public places in the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, and to lay pipes, conduits and other apparatus, and to run therein the necessary wires and fixtures, for the purpose of supplying and distributing to its customers electricity for electric light, heat and power, which was presented, read and received on August 16, 1909.

Councilman Buckley offered as a substitute ordinance, an ordinance entitled An ordinance granting consent to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a corporation of New Jersey, to erect posts or poles, and to string and sustain thereon the necessary wires and fixtures, and to open up all the public roads, highways, streets, avenues, alleys, parks, parkways and other public places in the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, and to lay pipes, conduits and other apparatus, and to run therein the necessary wires and fixtures, for the purpose of supplying and distributing to its customers electricity for electric light, heat and power.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the Board took a recess, subject to the chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

P. J. Murray, securing information for Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	$17 01
Timothy J. Conlon, nine days' services to Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	27 00
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for May, 1909	2,327 75
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for June, 1909	2,139 00
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for July, 1909	1,991 35
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement, etc., as per contract	7,744 17
Pay roll, cleaning streets	$386 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	214 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	306 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	328 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	373 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	17 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	21 00
Pay roll, repairing plumbers' openings	21 00
Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt pavement	103 04
Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drain	$57 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drain	49 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers and box drain	63 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	14 50
Pay roll, repairing sewers	24 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished poor	$12 00
F. Rech, groceries furnished por	3 00
M. Romano, groceries furnished poor	12 00
Emil LeFevre, care of homeless	3 50

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of River street, from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street, from River to Hudson streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Standard Bitulithic Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of River street, from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street, from River to Hudson streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Standard Bitulithic Company at the price named in their proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, with macadam or bitulithic pavement, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same, and in view of a petition having been presented by a number of property owners along the line of the improvement against the said pavement with either bitulithic or macadam, recommend the rejection of said proposals and that the Clerk be directed to readvertise for proposals for the paving of said street with a brick pavement, according to specifications made by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, and on file in the office of the City Clerk; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk is hereby directed to return to the respective bidders their checks accompanying their bids.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That John F. Keating be and he is hereby appointed inspector on the improvement of Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, at a salary of three ($3.00) dollars per working day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That Joseph Cummings be and he is hereby appointed as inspector on the improvement of Newark street, from Washington to River streets, and Hudson street, from Newark street to Hudson Place, and Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly line of the city, at a salary of three ($3.00) dollars per working day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

On motion of Councilman Zang, the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,

City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, September 8, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg and Gonzales.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Special session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday evening, September 15, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

The following call from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Sept, 14, 1909.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of the Council for Wednesday, September 15, 1909, at 8:30 p. m., for the purpose of forthwith dividing, changing or readjusting the election district of the First Election District of the First Ward, Second and Third Election Districts of the Second Ward, and the Second and Third Election Districts of the Fifth Ward, and such other election districts of the various Wards as the Council may deem advisable.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Peremptory writ of mandamus from the New Jersey Supreme Court, the State ex rel., George Gonzales vs. The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, was presented, read and received.

Councilmen Wren, Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Zang, Gonzales and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken that the election districts of the First Ward of the City of Hoboken be and the same are hereby changed and readjusted as follows, and that there shall be one new election district therein, to be known as the Fifth Election District of the First Ward.

That the boundary lines of the First Election District of the First Ward shall be as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where the centre line of Bloomfield street intersects the centre line of Ferry street, and running thence easterly along the centre line of Ferry street to the westerly line of the Hudson River, thence northerly along said Hudson River line to the centre line of First street, thence westerly along said centre line of First street to the centre line of Bloomfield street, thence southerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Second Election District of the First Ward shall be as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where the centre line of Bloomfield street intersects the centre line of First street, and running thence easterly along the centre line of First street to the Hudson River, thence northerly along the westerly line of the Hudson River to the centre line of Second street, thence westerly along the centre line of Second street to the centre line of Bloomfield street, thence southerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Third Election District of the First Ward shall be as follows, viz. Beginning at a point where the centre line of Willow avenue intersects the centre line of Second street, and running thence easterly along the centre line of Second street to the Hudson River, thence northerly along the westerly line of the Hudson River to the centre line of Third street, thence westerly along the centre line of Third street to the centre line of Willow avenue to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Fourth Election District of the First Ward shall be as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where the centre line of Willow avenue intersects the centre line of First street, and running thence easterly along the centre line of First street to the centre line of Bloomfield street, thence northerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the centre line of Second street, thence westerly along the centre line of Second street to the centre line of Willow avenue, thence southerly along the centre line of Willlow avenue to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Fifth Election District of the First Ward shall be as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where the centre line of Willow avenue intersects the centre line of Ferry street ,and running thence easterly along the centre line of Ferry street to the centre line of Bloomfield street, thence northerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the centre line of First street, thence westerly along the centre line of First street to the centre line of Willow avenue, thence southerly along the centre line of Willlow avenue to the point or place of beginning.

And be it further resolved, That the election districts of the Second Ward of the City of Hoboken be and the same are hereby

changed and readjusted as follows, and that there shall be one new election district therein to be known as the Fourth Election District of the Second Ward.

That the boundary lines of the First Election District of the Second Ward shall remain unchanged and as heretofore.

That the boundary lines of the Second Election District of the Second Ward shall be as follows, viz: Commencing at a point where the centre line of Bloomfield street intersects the centre line of Sixth street, and running thence easterly and along the centre line of said Sixth street to the westerly line of the Hudson River, thence northerly and along said westerly line of the Hudson River to the centre line of Ninth street, thence westerly and along the centre line of Ninth street to the centre line of Bloomfield street, and thence southerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Third Election District of the Second Ward shall be as follows, viz: Commencing at a point where the centre line of Bloomfield street intersects the centre line of Ninth street, thence running easterly along said centre line of Ninth street to the Hudson River, thence northerly along the westerly line of the Hudson River to the centre line of Twelfth street, thence westerly along the centre line of Twelfth street to the centre line of Washington street, thence southerly along the centre line of Washington street to the centre line of Eleventh street, thence westerly along the centre line of Eleventh street to the centre line of Bloomfield street, and thence southerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Fourth Election District of the Second Ward shall be as follows, viz: Commencing at a point where the centre line of Bloomfield street intersects the centre line of Eleventh street, thence running easterly along said centre line of Eleventh street to the centre line of Washington street, thence northerly along the centre line of Washington street to the centre line of Twelfth street, thence easterly along the centre line of Twelfth street to the Hudson River, thence northerly along the westerly line of the Hudson River to the northerly boundary line of the city, thence westerly along said northerly boundary line of the city to the centre line of Bloomfield street, and thence southerly along said centre line of Bloomfield street to the point or place of beginning.

And be it further resolved, That the election districts of the Fifth Ward of the City of Hoboken be and the same are hereby changed and readjusted, and that there shall be one new election district therein to be known as the Fifth Election District of the Fifth Ward.

That the boundary lines of the First Election District of the Fifth Ward shall remain unchanged and as heretofore.

That the boundary lines of the Second Election District of the Fifth Ward shall be as follows, viz: Commencing at a point where the centre line of Bloomfield street intersects the centre line of Eighth street, thence running northerly and along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the centre line of Ninth street, thence running westerly along the centre line of Ninth street to the centre line of Willow avenue, thence northerly along the centre line of Willow avenue to the centre line of Tenth street, thence westerly along the centre line of Tenth street to the westerly boundary line of the city, thence southerly along said westerly boundary line of the city to the centre line of Eighth street, and thence easterly along said centre line of Eighth street to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Third Election District of the Fifth Ward shall be as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where the centre line of Ninth street intersects the centre line of Bloomfield street, and running thence northerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the centre line of Eleventh street, thence westerly along the centre line of Eleventh street to the centre line of Park avenue, thence southerly along the centre line of Park avenue to the centre line of Tenth street, thence westerly along the centre line of Tenth street to the centre line of Willow avenue, thence southerly along the centre line of Willlow avenue to the centre line of Ninth street, and thence easterly along the centre line of Ninth street to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Fourth Election District of the Fifth Ward shall be as follows, viz: Commencing at a point where the centre line of Park avenue intersects the centre line of Tenth street, thence running northerly along the centre line of Park avenue to the centre line of Eleventh street, thence easterly along the centre line of Eleventh street to the centre line of Bloomfield street, thence northerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the centre line of Twelfth street, thence westerly along the centre line of Twelfth street to

the westerly boundary line of the city, thence southerly along the westerly boundary line of the city to the centre line of Tenth street, and thence easterly along the centre line of Tenth street to the point or place of beginning.

That the boundary lines of the Fifth Election District of the Fifth Ward shall be as follows, viz: Commencing at a point where the centre line of Bloomfield street intersects the centre line of Twelfth street, thence running northerly along the centre line of Bloomfield street to the northerly boundary line of the city, thence running westerly along the northerly boundary line of the city to the westerly boundary line of the city, thence runnning southerly along the westerly boundary line of the city to the centre line of Twelfth street, and thence running easterly along the centre line of Twelfth street to the point or place of beginning.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Councilmen Wren, Buckley, McFeely, Zang, Gonzales, Clark and Chairman Whelan presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise at once the resolution just adopted, dividing, changing and readjusting the boundary lines of the Election Districts of the First, Second and Fifth Wards.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Couscil Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, September 22, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session held on August 25, the adjourned session held on September 1, the stated session held on September 8, and the special session held on September 15, 1909, was dispensed with and they weer approved as printed.

The following proposals for the improvement around City Hall with wood block pavement were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From Richard Lamb:

I will contract to furnish all matrial and do the work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, $3.16.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, 25 cents.

New curb, per lineal fot, 80 cents.

Relaid crosswalks, per square foot, 20 cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, each, $38.

From the Franklin Contracting Company:

We will contract to furnished and lay wood block pavement, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving with wood block, per square yard, $3.58.

Resetting old curb, per lineal foot, 16 cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, 73 cents.

Relaying crosswalks, per square foot, 5 cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, each, $6.00.

From the Standard Bitulithic Company:

We will contract to pave with wood block, curb, etc., according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Wood block pavement, $3.52 per square yard.

Curb reset, 17 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, 68 cents per lineal foot.

Crosswalks relaid, 5 cents per square foot.

Receiving basins reset, each, $5.

The following proposals for the improvement around School No. 7, with wood block pavement were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Franklin Contracting Company:

We will contract to furnished and lay wood block pavement, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving with wood block, per square yard, $3.58.

Resetting old curb, per lineal foot, 16 cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, 73 cents.

Relaying crosswalks, per square foot, 5 cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, $1.10.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, each, $6.00.

From the Standard Bitulithic Company:

We will contract to pave with wood block, curb, etc., according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Wood block pavement, $3.52 per square yard.

Curb reset, 17 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, 68 cents per lineal foot.

Crosswalks relaid, 5 cents per square foot.

Filling, $1 per cubic yard.

Receiving basins reset, each, $5.

The following proposals for the improvement around School No. 8 with wood block pavement were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Franklin Contracting Company:

We will contract to furnished and lay wood block pavement, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving with wood block, per square yard, $3.58.

Resetting old curb, per lineal foot, 16 cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, 73 cents.

Relaying crosswalks, per square foot, 5 cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, $1.10.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, each, $6.00.

From the Standard Bitulithic Company:

We will contract to pave with wood block, curb, etc., according to the advertisement,

specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Wood block pavement, $3.52 per square yard.

Curb reset, 17 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, 68 cents per lineal foot.

Crosswalks relaid, 5 cents per square foot.

Filling, $1 per cubic yard.

Receiving basins reset, each, $5.

The following proposals for the improvement of First street, from Garden to Marshall street, with wood block pavement, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Franklin Contracting Company:

We will contract to furnished and lay wood block pavement, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving with wood block, per square yard, $3.58.

Resetting old curb, per lineal foot, 16 cents.

New curb, per lineal foot, 73 cents.

Relaying crosswalks, per square foot, 5 cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, $1.10.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, each, $6.00.

From Richard Lamb:

I will contract to furnish all matrial and do the work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Repaving, per square yard, $3.16.

Curb reset, per lineal foot, 25 cents.

New curb, per lineal fot, 80 cents.

Relaid crosswalks, per square foot, 20 cents.

Filling, per cubic yard, 50 cents.

Receiving basins raised or adjusted, each, $38.

From the Standard Bitulithic Company:

We will contract to pave with wood block, curb, etc., according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Wood block pavement, $3.52 per square yard.

Curb reset, 17 cents per lineal foot.

New curb, 68 cents per lineal foot.

Crosswalks relaid, 5 cents per square foot.

Filling, $1 per cubic yard.

Receiving basins reset, each, $5.

The following proposals for the improvement of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth street, with brick pavement, were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From E. M. Mullins & Co.:

We will contract to do the above work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per lineal foot of curb reset, 10 cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb, 50 cents.

Per square foot of crosswalks relaid, 5 cents.

Per square foot of new crosswalks, 50 cents.

Per square yard of relaying block pavement, 40 cents.

Receiving basins raised and adjusted, $5.

Per square yard of brick, using Shawmut Shall, $2.48.

Per square yard of brick, using Fire Clay, $2.60.

Per square yard of brick, using Kushqua, $2.70.

Per square yard of brick, using Clymer, $2.70.

Per square yard of brick, using Catskill, $2.60.

Per square yard of brick, using Metropolitan, $2.82.

From Joseph Murphy & Son, Inc.:

We will contract to do above said work according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Per lineal foot of curb reset, 15 cents.

Per lineal foot of new curb, 80 cents.

Per square foot of relaid crossbridging, 10 cents.

Per square foot of new crossbridging, 70 cents.

Per square yard of repairing Belgian paving, 50 cent.s

Each receiving basin adjusted, $5.

Per square yard of Metropolitan block, $2.85.

Per square yard of Kushqua block, $2.70.

Per square yard of Clymer brick, $2.60.

Per square yard of Catskill brick, $2.45.

From Thomas Cavanagh:

I will contract to do all work and furnish all materials, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

Brick pavement, on concrete base, $2.85.

Curbs reset, per lineal foot, 10 cents.

New curbs, per lineal foot, 60 cents.

Relaid crosswalks, per square foot, 5 cents.

New crosswalks, per square foot, 40 cents.

Relaying Belgian block pavement, per square yard, 50 cent.s

Receiving basins raised and adjusted, $5.

Invitation from the Hudson-Fulton Committee, to review the parade on Thursday evening, October 7, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Petition from the National Volunteer Emergency Company, requesting the use of the Armory for once a week, from 8 to 10 p. m., was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that Patrick Kennedy, Celestus White, Julius C. Kruse, William Faas and Frank Rabold be granted exempt firemen's certificates, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from W. L. E. Keuffel, requesting that pipes be la.1 in Eighth and Ninth streets, from Hudson street, to protect the property on Castle Point Terrace and Stevens Park against fire, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from John F. Keating, declining the appointment as inspetcor on the improvement of Park avenue between Seventh and Eleventh streets, was on motion of Councilman Buckley received and the resignation accepted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Michele Pierro, Antonio Gurich & Co., Henry Heise Michael La Rossa, Conrad Boll, Fred W. Droste, Robert Ernst, August Ostmann, Paul Simon, August Fischer.

For transfer of retail liquor license: August E. Janson.

For peddlers' licenses: George Marone, Antonio Cingemani, Gately & Fitzgerald, Wm. Young, Nicholas Girone.

For junk dealer's license: Antonio Gardano.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

P. C. O'Connor, drawing maps of voters of the First, Second and Fifth Wards $180 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished Second Precinct $73 71

William A. Barrett, washing towels. 6 00

W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished City Hall 376 20

W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished Ambulance House 90 45

Edward C. Dorrbecker, trimming trees in Church Square Park.... 60 00

Frank Cordts, supplies furnished Police Headquarters 49 00

Thomas Bowes & Bros., plumbing work at Police Headquarters.... 18 85

William Hammell, carpenter work at City Stable 36 66

John Stuart, calking public bath... 12 50

C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished parks 37 20

R. Schwoerer, plants furnished City Hall 24 00

Thomas C. Sproul, plumbing work at Police Headquarters 41 10

John E. Wagener, repairing roof of Ambulance House 6 85

R. Schwoerer, plants furnished City Hall 91 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Charles Hvass & Co., 9 refuse cans, etc. $58 50

Charles Hvass & Co., refilling one machine broom 13 50

John Zang, repairs for Street Department 17 50

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department 17 55

A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department 30 28

Charles Hvass & Co., 9 refuse cans, etc. 58 50

Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from August 25 to September 25, 1909 ..... 791 66

Wililam Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled 52 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets 375 25

Pay roll, repairing streets 33 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets 242 50

Pay roll, cleaning streets 349 25

To the Committee on Sewers:

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department $12 05

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers 27 00

Frank B. Hinternhoff, supplies furnished Sewer Department 12 39

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins. 90 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins. 90 00

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins. 90 00

Pay roll, repairing sewers..... 48 50

Pay roll, repairing sewers 37 25

Pay roll, repairing sewers 21 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Inquirer, publishing electric light hearing $92 40
The Inquirer, publishing ordinances 340 20
The Inquirer, publishing proposals. 26 00
George H. Boland, repairs to typewriter in Building Inspector's office 20 00
The Evening Journal Association, advertising proposals 24 36
The Evening Journal Association, advertising tax ordinance..... 258 30
The Evening Journal Association, advertising electric light hearing.. 68 00
The Evening Journal Association, advertising proposals 21 00
The Evening Journal Association, advertising $22,000 water bonds... 98 70
The Evening Journal Association, advertising proposals 23 94
The Evening Journal Association, advertising proposals 21 00
The Evening Journal Association, advertising notice to contractors. 14 70
The Evening Journal Association, advertising proposals 28 14
The Evening Journal Association, advertising proposals 25 20
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 24 50
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 64 00
The Observer, publishing balance of minutes of July 28, 1909..... 72 50
The Observer, publishing proposals.. 144 20
The Observer, publishing minutes of Sept. 1, 8 and 15, 1909..... 96 50
The Observer, publishing notice of electric light hearing 120 75
The Observer, publishing minutes of August 25, 1909 ..... 304 00

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corporation, street lighting for August, 1909.....$1,990 65
Public Service Corp., electric current supplied public buildings for August, 1909 ..... 219 38
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for August, 1909 ..... 50 60

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners 81 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners, etc. 21 50
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M... 15 60

To the Committee on Alms:

M. Ross, care of homeless $3 00
Emil Le Fevre, moving poor..... 4 00
Charles Hoffmann, burial of poor.. 17 25
E. Cuenin, care of homeless 9 00
J. Lefrak, care of homeless 6 50
J. Hage, care of homeless..... 3 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor 15 00
W. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
F. Lilienthal, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
Fred Bezer, groceries furnished the poor 33 00
Bargefrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor 47 00
H. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
J. Lieb, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
M. Romano, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
Charles Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
L. Melching, shoes furnished the poor 8 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
James McLaughlin, burial of poor. 8 75

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Sept. 20, 1909.

To the Council:

I herewith return without my approval the claim of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company for the sum of seven thousand seven hundred and forty-four dollars and seventeen cents ($7,744.17) passed at your last meeting. It appears to me that you considered that the aforesaid claim might legally be paid out of the moneys recently derived through bond issue of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000) for repavement of streets.

I am informed by the Corporation Attorney, however, that the aforesaid claim cannot legally be paid out of said moneys, for the reason that the work in question was performed prior to the adoption of the ordi-

nance authorizing said bond issue, the said ordinance providing that the moneys derived from the issue of bonds thereunder were to be used in the payment of costs and expenses to be incurred after the passage of said ordinance. I annex hereto the opinion rendered to me by the Corporation Attorney in regard to said matter.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., Sept. 20, 1909.

Hon. George H. Steil, Mayor of the City of Hoboken:

Dear Sir—In compliance with your request for my opinion as to the legality of the payment to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company of the sum of seven thousand seven hundred and forty-four dollars and seventeen cents ($7,744.17) for repairs to asphalt pavements during May and June, 1909, bill for which, dated June 30, 1909, was passed by the Council at the last meeting and is now before you for your consideration, I find upon inquiry into the matter that it was doubtless intended by the Council that the aforesaid moneys due to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company should be paid out of the moneys derived from the recent bond issue, pursuant to an ordinance passed by the Council June 23, 1909, and approved by you on the following day, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the issue of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($125,000) repavement bonds." Upon a perusal of said ordinance I find that the moneys intended to be raised thereunder were for the purpose of providing a fund to be used in the payment of costs and expenses to be incurred after the passage of said ordinance.

I advise you therefore that the aforesaid sum of seven thousand seven hundred and forty-four dollars and seventeen cents ($7,744.17) cannot legally be paid to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company out of the moneys derived from the aforesaid bond issue (the said work having been performed prior to the passage of said ordinance).

I am informed that the work in question was performed under a contract previously entered into between the city and said company, and if this be so, the Council should provide for the payment thereof by a temporary loan, the payment whereof to be provided for hereafter by the Board of Tax Commissioners.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Sept. 20, 1909.

To the Council:

I herewith return without my approval the report of the Committee on Streets and Assessments presented, read and adopted at your meeting held September 1, 1909, awarding to Peter A. Peluso a contract for the removal of ashes, garbage, paper and rubbish, street sweeping, etc., in the city of Hoboken, for the year commencing September 25, 1909, at the price stated in his proposal, to wit, $12,995, for the reason that the Board of Tax Commissioners have only appropriated the sum of $9,500 for said work, and I am advised by the Corporation Attorney that the Mayor and Council cannot incur an obligation or indebtedness in excess of existing appropriations. I annex hereto the opinion rendered by the Corporation Attorney to me relative to the aforesaid matter.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., Sept. 20, 1909.

Hon. George H. Steil, Mayor of the City of Hoboken:

Dear Sir—In compliance with your request for my opinion as to the right of the Mayor and Council of the city to contract with Peter A. Peluso for the removal of ashes, garbage, paper and rubbish, street sweepings, etc., in the city of Hoboken for the year commencing September 25, 1909, at the amount of his bid therefor, to wit, $12,995; the amount of the appropriation for said work as made by the Board of Tax Commissioners for the ensuing year being only $9,500, I hereby advise you that the Mayor and Council cannot award said contract to the said Peter A. Peluso, under the terms of his proposal, for the reason that the same is in excess of the appropriation made by the Tax Commissioners, as hereinabove mentioned. Our courts have repeatedly held that a contract by a municipality to incur an obligation or indebtedness in excess of existing appropriations for the purpose for which the contract is made, is illegal.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

Specifications, proposals, award of contract, bond and contract of Henry Waddington, re-

lating to the repaving with new specification block pavement on concrete base of Newark street, from Washington to River street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Specifications, proposal, award of contract, bond and contract of Henry Waddington, relating to the repaving with new specification block pavement on concrete base of Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly city line, and Hudson street, from Newark street to a point south of Hudson Place, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Antonio Gardano, as junk dealer.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $72, in favor of James Cannon, for services as inspector on repairing sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,540, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, for services as contractor on repairing sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $107.04, in favor of himself, as engineer on repairing sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $51.34, in favor of himself, for service sas engineer, etc., of sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,812.22, in favor of W. A. Connell, for services as contractor on repairing, etc., sewer in Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $76.30, in favor of himself, for services as surveyor on sewer in Jackson street, between First stree and Paterson avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyer, for the sum of $76.30, in favor of himself, for services as surveyor on sewer in Jackson street, between First street and Patrson avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $63, in favor of Frank A. Mitro, for services as inspector on sewer in Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,803.36, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of September, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half mont hof October, 1909, was presented, read and referrred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $7,043.93, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of September, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,657.64, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of October, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Report of Recorder McGovern, on the collection of fines for the month of August, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

An ordinance granting consent to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a corporation of New Jersey, to erect posts or poles and to string and sustain thereon the necessary wires and fixtures, and to open up all the public roads, highways, streets, avenues, alleys, parks, parkways and other public places in the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, and to lay pipes, conduits and other apparatus, and to run therein the necessary wires and fixtures, for the purpose of supplying and distributing to its customers electricity for electric light, heat and power, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held on September 1, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported the same correct:

For retail liquor licenses: Michele Pierro, Antonio Gurich & Co., Henry Heise, Michael La Rossa, Conrad Boll, Fred W. Droste, Robert Ernst, August Ostmann, Paul Simon, August Fischer.

For transfer of retail liquor license: August E. Janson.

Fer peddlers' licenses: George Marone, Antonio Cingemani, Gately & Fitzgerald, Wm. Young, Nicholas Girone.

For junk dealer's license: Antonio Gardano.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the licenses granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Daniel Wallace, plumbing work, etc., at Armory	$73 47
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Public Bath	3 38
A. W. Meyer, supplies furnished Second Precinct	10 00
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., supplies and repairs at Police Headquarters	42 60
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., one book section furnished Chief of Police	7 25
Frank Cordts Furniture Co., furniture furnished Police Headquarters	72 70
Johnston Bros., plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	17 54
Johnston Bros., repairing gas pipes, etc., at Armory	33 21
Billington & Bishop, supplies furnished City Hall	23 03
Billington & Bishop, 7 large awnings furnished City Hall	49 00
Billington & Bishop, 14 large awnings furnished City Hall	98 00
Billington & Bishop, putting up and repairs to awnings at Hudson Square Park	9 50
Billington & Bishop, 10 medium size awnings furnished City Hall	58 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Public Bath	36 15
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Parks	34 80
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Parks	5 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Parks	5 00
Wm. A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
Fagan Iron Works, repairing gate at City Hall	2 65
William Hammell, carpenter work at City Hall	50 80
William Hammell, carpenter work at Armory	88 02
Leo Mayer, insurance on Ambulance House	60 00
Leo Mayer, insurance on Engine House No. 2	52 50
Leo Mayer, insurance on Engine House No. 2	52 50
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at City Hall	37 12
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Police Headquarters	21 35
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Police Headquarters	17 50
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Armory	87 96
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Armory	72 55
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	18 20
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Hudson Square Park	22 75
Daniel Wallace, plumbing work at Armory	16 00
Lindabury, Depue & Faulks, taxed costs in city suit for taxes	52 29
Lindabury, Depue & Faulks, taxed costs in city suit for taxes	61 29
Albert S. Schiller, insurance on Engine House No. 4	124 00
J. B. Collins, half gross large size roach powder	50 40
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	20 00
George Malone, services as Bathkeeper	160 00
Kogge Bros., plants furnished Hudson Square Park	45 00
H. Schiever, repairs and painting flagpole at City Hall	9 00
Hoboken Elec. Equip. Co., repairing electrics bells at Police Headquarters	8 50

John J. Fallon, incidental expenses from January 1 to July 1, 1909.. 93 93
Tietje & Christ, supplies and repairs at City Hall 3 00
P. C. O'Connor, drawing maps of voters of the First, Second and Fifth Wards $180 00
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished Second Precinct 73 71
William A. Barrett, washing towels. 6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished City Hall 376 20
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished Ambulance House 90 45
John Zang, repairs for Street Department 17 50
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department 17 55
A. Hannibal, feed furnished Street Department 30 28
Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from August 25 to September 25, 1909 ..... 791 66
Willam Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled 52 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets 375 25
Pay roll, repairing streets 33 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets 242 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets 349 25
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department 12 05
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E. Cuenin, care of homeless 9 00
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G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
J. Lieb, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
M. Romano, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
Charles Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
L. Melching, shoes furnished the poor 8 00
John Collins, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor 3 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

A. Anone, metal ceiling and soffets on stairs in City Hall $99 00
A. Anone, metal ceiling in parlor and locker in Armory 20 00
Chas. Hvass & Co., 9 refuse cans, etc. 58 50
Chas. Hvass & Co., refilling one machine broom 13 50
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall for the quarter ending March, 1909 ..... 63 10
Philip E. Raque, services rendered in investigating construction and valuation of shore front properties 1,200 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $72, in favor of James Cannon, for services as inspector on sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,540, in favor of Thos. Cavanagh, contractor on the repairing of the sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $107.04, in favor of himself for services as engineer in repairing of sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $51.34, in favor of himself, for services as engineer for repairing, etc., of sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $63 in favor of Frank A. Mitro for services as inspector on sewer in Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the communications from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that Julius C. Krause, William Faas, Frank Rabold, Celestus White and Patrick Kennedy be granted exempt firemen's certificates, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the certificates granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the specifications, proposal, award of contract, bond and contract of Henry Waddington, relating to the repaving with new specification block pavement on concrete base of Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly line, and Hudson street, from Newark street to a point south of Hudson Place, reported in favor of adopting and approving the specification and bond. On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the specification, proposal, award of contract, bond and contract of Henry Waddington, relating to the repaving with new specification block pavement on contract base of Newark street, from Washington to River streets, reported in favor of adopting and approving the specification and bond.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance granting consent to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a corporation of New Jersey, to erect posts or poles and to string and sustain thereon the necessary wires and fixtures, and to open up all the public roads, highways, streets, avenues, alleys, parks, parkways and other public places in the City of Hoboken, New Jersey, and to lay pipes, conduits and other apparatus, and to run therein the necessary wires and fixtures, for the purpose of supplying and distributing to its customers electricity for electric light, heat and power, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council, held on September 1, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report from the Committee of the Whole was presented and read:

To the Council:

Your Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred the resolution relative to High School site, adopted by the Council at a meeting held September 1, 1909, respectfully report that they met on Wednesday, September 15, 1909, pursuant to said resolution, but owing to the fast that the Board of Education, which had been invited to attend said meeting by letter of the City Clerk, sent to the Secreary of he Board of Educaion under dae of September 7, 1909, did not meet with your Committee nor offer any reason, explanation or excuse for their non-attendance, your Committee was obliged to adjourn without having been able to inquire into the subject matter of said resolution.

Respectfully,
MARTIN WHELAN,
Chairman,
GEORGE GONZALES,
PETER F. CLARK,
CHAS. ZANG,
D. BAHRENBURG,
G. FRIEDRICHS,
RICHARD BUCKLEY.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, Sept. 20, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—Your Committe on Streets and Asssessments, to whom were referred the several proposals for the repaving of blocks around School No. 7, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Standard Bitulithic Paving Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of blocks around Schoool No. 7 be and the same is hereby awarded to the Standard Bitulithic Paving Company, at the price named in their proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work os file.

RICHARD BUCKLEY,
THOMAS J. WREN,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, Sept. 20, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—Your Committe on Streets and Asssessments, to whom were referred the several proposals for the repaving of blocks around School No. 8, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Standard Bitulithic Paving Company the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of blocks around School No. 8, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Standard Bitulithic Paving Company, at the price named in their proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work os file.

RICHARD BUCKLEY,
THOMAS J. WREN,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, Sept. 20, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—Your Committe on Streets and Asssessments, to whom were referred the several proposals for the repaving of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Joseph Murphy & Son, Inc., the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Joseph Murphy & Son, Inc., at the price named in their proposal, to be paved with Clymer brick; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work os file.

RICHARD BUCKLEY,
THOMAS J. WREN,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Whereas, The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, heretofore, to wit, on the twenty-eighth day of July, nineteen hundred and nine, awarded to Thomas Cavanagh, of the Township of Weehawken, New Jersey, a contract for the rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of the brick sewer in Monroe street between Fourth street and Fifth street, in said City of Hoboken, at and for the price mentioned in his proposal therefor submitted to the Common Council on July twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and nine; and

Whereas, In and by the specifications for said work, prepared and submitted to said Common Council by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, in charge of said work, which specifications form a part of said contract, it is provided that the said contractor, after taking up in said Monroe street so much paving blocks laid therein as might be necessary to enable the said contractor to perform his work under the aforesaid contract, and that he shall thereafter relay the said pavement (with Belgian block) so as to conform in grade with the other pavement in the aforesaid street; and

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of Hoboken has since the award of the aforesaid contract advertised according to law for proposals to be submitted to the said Common Council for the repaving with Belgian block pavement of Monroe street from Fourth street to Fifth street, and Fourth street from Monroe street to Jackson street, according to specifications for said work prepared by and submitted to said Common Council by Eugene Smith, City Surveyor in charge of said work, which said specifications are now on file with the City Clerk; and several bids or proposals having been submitted to said Common Council for said work of repaving the streets last aforesaid, among which a bid or proposal from the said Thomas Cavanagh, and it appearing to said Common Council from a report of the Committee on Streets and Assessments, of said body, to whom the said several bids or proposals were referred, that the said bid or proposal of said Thomas Cavanagh is the lowest and most advantageous to the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, It appears that the sa.. Thomas Cavanagh has not yet commenced the repavement of such part of the aforesaid Monroe street as is embraced within the aforesaid contract awarded to him on July twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and nine.

Resolved, That the contract for repaving with the present Belgian block pavement of Monroe street from Fourth street to Fifth street, and Fourth street from Monroe street to Jackson street, in said City of Hoboken, be and the same is hereby awarded to the said Thomas Cavanagh at the price named in his bid or proposal therefor, and according to the specifications therefor; provided, however, that the said Thomas Cavanagh will agree to eliminate from said contract (notwithstanding anything contained in the specifications for said work, or otherwise, to the contrary) the repavement of so much and such part of the aforesaid Monroe street from Fourth street to Fifth street, the repavement of which is provided for in and to be done under and by virtue of the aforesaid contract of July twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and nine, the amount whereof to be cereified to by the City Engineer in charge of said work; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other bids or proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J .WREN,
RICHAR DBUCKLEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilman Clark presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $63.00, in favor of Frank. A. Mitro, inspector on the improvement of Jackson street sewer, between First street and Paterson avenue, as per certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, presented September 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $51.34, in favor of Eugene Smith, Engineer, on the improvement of Monroe street sewer, between Fourth and Fifth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented September 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilman Clark presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $107.04, in favor of Eugene Smith, Engineer on the improvement of Jackson street sewer, between Third and Fifth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented September 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilman Clark presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $72.00, in favor of James Cannon, inspector on the improvement of Jackson street sewer, between Third and Fifth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented September 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilman Clark presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $2,540.00, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor, on the improvement of Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented September 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilman Zang presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of ten dollars, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilman Zang presented the following:
Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be an dhe is hereby directed to apply to the proper court for the release of the ballot boxes used at the election held on September 14, 1909, for the vote cast on the Constitutional amendments, so that the same may be used at the next General Election to be held on November 2, 1909.
Adopted by the following vote:
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilman Zang presented the following:
Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of five dollars in favor of Harry Bennett, Clerk of the District Court, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.
Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.
Nays—None.
Absent—None.
Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:
Resolved, By the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken that pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 259, Laws of 1909, the sum of five thousand dollars be and the same hereby is appropriated to be used in

the eclebration of the Hudson-Fulton Ter-Centenary.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Whereas, Since the recompilation of the city ordinances in 1901 many additional ordinances have been passed by the Common Council and approved by the Mayor, and are now in effect; and

Whereas, It is deemed advisable that such additional ordinances be printed and published in pamphlet form for the guidance of the city officials, and the citizens of the city;

Resolved, That the City Clerk forthwith compile the aforesaid additional ordinances, and that one hundred copies thereof be printed and published in pamphlet form for distribution among the city officials and such citizens as may apply therefor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Whereas, In the judgment of the Common Council it is advisable that better protection against fire be afforded the residents of the property situate at the street known as Castle Poist Terrace, and in the vicinity thereof;

Resolved, That the Board of Water Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to extend the water mains to and through Eighth street and Ninth street, easterly from Hudson street, so as to provide a sufficient quantity of water for use in case of fire in the protection of the aforesaid property, and that such extension of water mains be made assoon as practicable.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise according to law for proposals to repave with asphalt pavement the following named streets: Fifth street, between Bloomfield and Garden streets; Seventh street, between Garden street and Park avnue, and Third street, between Washington and Rivr streets, according to plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office, and that Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, be directed to draw plans and specifications for doing said work.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren, Buckley and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That George Clark be and he is hereby appointed inspector on the improvement of Castle Point Terrace, at three dollars per working day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $7,043.93, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of September, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $7,043.93, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of September, 1909.

PETER F. CLARK,
GEO. GONZALES.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,657.64, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half-month of October, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,657.64, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor, James Smith,

Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Fire Department for the first half-month of October, 1909.

PETER F. CLARK,
GEO. GONZALES.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely. Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commisioners for the sum of $6,803.36, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of September, 1909, report the same corect, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,803.36 in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of September ,1909.

BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was refered the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,400, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of October, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,400, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half month of October ,1909.

BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of September, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costelio, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	60 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half month of October, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00

Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper 37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper 30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman 25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver... 30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver 30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman 30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper 30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener 30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper 37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper 37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper 37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named named city officers to pay salaries in full to October 1, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician $83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney 150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue 125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue 100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall 75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor 116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks 100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct..... 75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
W. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk.. 100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner 166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper 60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk 116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor.. 208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court. 75 00
George H. Steil, one quarter's salary as Mayor 500 00
James Smith, one quarter's salary as City Treasurer 625 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk..... 125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
George Malone, one month's salary as bath keeper 100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder 208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner 125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector 125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sluicegate Keeper 60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician 83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector 100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer 125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys.... 41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court 26 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court..... 250 00
Diedrich Bahrenburg, one quarter's salary as Councilman 100 00

Richard Buckley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Richard Bowes, one quarter's salary as Collector of Revenue	625 00
Peter F. Clark, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Gustav Friedrichs, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
John J. Fallon, one quarter's salary as Corporation Attorney	625 00
Thomas J. Foley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
George Gonzales, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Bernard McFeely, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Thomas J. Wren, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Martin J. Whelan, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Charles Zang, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

SPECIAL SESSION.

Special session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Friday afternoon, September 24, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

The following call from His Honor Mayor Steil, was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office, Hoboken, N. J.,
September 23, 1909.

Mr. James H. Londrigan, City Clerk.

Dear Sir—You will please call a special meeting of the Council for Friday, September 24, 1909, at 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of awarding contracts for the repavement of streets.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Specification for the repaving of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, with brick pavement, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments to whom was referred the specification for the repaving of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, with brick pavement, reported in favor of adopting and approving the said specification.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, September 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assesments to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Henry Waddington the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry Waddington at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, September 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assesments to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Willow avenue, from Ferry to Third streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Henry Waddington the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Willlow avenue, from Ferry to Third streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry Waddington at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, September 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assesments to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh streets, and Seventh street, between Willow avenue and Clinton street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Henry Waddington the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh streets, and Seventh street, between Willlow avenue and Clinton street, be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry Waddington at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, September 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assesments to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Adams street, fro Fifth to Sixth streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Henry Waddington the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry Waddington at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

The following report and resolution from the Committee on Streets and Assessments was presented and read:

Hoboken, September 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assesments to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving of Jefferson street, from Ferry to First streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Henry Waddington the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving of Jefferson street, from Ferry to First streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry Waddington at the price named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to return all checks or cash for bids received for repaving, received August 25, 1909, and also all checks for repaving Castle Point Terrace, Eighth to Tenth streets, block around School No. 8, and for block around School No. 7, received September 22, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilmen Bahrenburgh, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the oBard adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, October 13, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Friedrichs, Gonzales and Wren.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present the Clerk deeclared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, October 27, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Behrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Foley.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held on September 22, the special session held on September 24, and the stated session held on October 13, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposal for the improvement with asphalt pavement of Fifth street, between Bloomfield and Garden streets; Seventh street, between Garden street and Park avenue; Third street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From the Barber Asphalt Paving Company:

We will contract to pave with asphalt pavement the above named streets, together with all work incidental thereto, according to the advertisement, specifications and plans for the same in the office of the Clerk of the City of Hoboken, for the following price or prices:

For asphalt pavement, including binder course, per square yard, the sum of $1.34.

For relaying old Belgian blocks, per square yard, 32 cents.

For furnished and setting new bluestone curb stone, per lineal foot, 86 cents.

For resetting old bluestone curb stones, per lineal foot, 20 cents.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented, read and ordered spread in full on the minutes:

Office of Corporation Attorney,
Hoboken, N. J., Oct. 26, 1909.

Richard Buckley, Esq., of Committee on Lamps and Gas of the Common Council of the City of Hoboken:

Dear Sir—You have requested my opinion as to the authority of the Common Council to award, at the next regular meeting of said body, to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a contract for the lighting of the streets and public places of the City of Hoboken.

It is conceded that the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, a corporation recently organized, has not at the present time an established plant, and has no present means of supplying light to the city of a contract be awarded to said company.

The said company, however, requests that it be awarded at this time a contract for the lighting of the city streets and public places to begin some time in the future, that is, after is has been afforded an opportunity to establish its plant, perhaps one year hence, or in any event not until after January 1, 1910.

I advise you that the Common Council, as at present constituted, cannot award such contract, the performance of which is to commence after January 1, 1910.

Respectfully,
JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney

Councilman Foley appeared and took his seat.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Whereas, At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Hoboken, held March 29th, 1909, a resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise, according to law, for proposals for the lighting of the streets, roads and public places in the City of Hoboken, in accordance with the specifications to be prepared by the Committee on Lamps and Gas, was regularly adopted, and said resolution was approved by His Honor the Mayor, March 30th, 1909; and

Whereas, The Committee on Lamps and Gas prepared and filed with the City Clerk specifications for said lighting; and

Whereas, The City Clerk, in compliance with the aforesaid resolution, advertised for proposals to be submitted, according to said specifications for periods of one, three and five years respectively, to the Common Council at a regular meeting of said board to be held April 28th, 1909; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid regular meeting of the Common Council held April 28th, 1909, a proposal was received from the Public Service Corporation, to provide lighting, for a period of one year, three years and five years, respectively, as per said specifications; and

Whereas, At the said regular meeting of the Common Council, held April 28th, 1909, The Citizens' Light, Heat and Powe Company presented to the Common Council a petition asking for a franchise to open up the streets of the city for the purpose of laying therein wires, pipes and conduits, and to erect poles or posts on said streets

and in public places, and to string and sustain thereon electric wires and fixtures, for the purpose of supplying the City of Hoboken and others with electric current for light, heat and power, and setting forth therein that said permission was requested for a term of twenty years from the date of the passage of an ordinance granting such permission; and

Whereas, The aforesaid petition of The Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company recited that in the event of said permission being granted by the City of Hoboken, and the City of Hoboken entering into a contract with said Company, under the terms in said petition mentioned, for all the municipal lighting during the term for which the aforesaid permission was requested, to wit, the term of twenty years; that said company would furnish all the arc lights to the City of Hoboken, according to the specifications on file with the City Clerk, at the rate of seventy dollars per lamp per annum; and

Whereas, At a regular meeting of the Common Council, held June 14th, 1909, the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company submitted to and filed with the Common Council a withdrawal of the proposition contained in its aforesaid petition for a twenty year contract, and proposed instead thereof to accept a contract for such a term of years as may be deemed reasonable by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, At a regular meeting of the Common Council, held June 23rd, 1909, the Public Service Corporation submitted to said Council a further proposal to enter into a five year contract for the aforesaid city lighting, at a rate of seventy-five dollars per lamp per annum; and

Whereas, The Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, at a regular meetnig of the Common Council, held July 28, 1909, submitted to said Council a petition, asking for the grant of a franchise to erect poles and lay conduits, etc., for electric lighting throughout the City of Hoboken, according to the terms of said petition, and in its said latter petition recited that the period for which said permission was requested is a term which will in the discretion of the Mayor and Council be most advantageous to the people of the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, It appears from the foregoing that the only formal proposal presented to the Common Council at the meeting held April 28, 1909, was the proposal of the Public Service Corporation; and that the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company withdrew its proposal for the award, to wit, of a twenty year contract, and substituted in lieu thereof a proposal for the award to said company for such a term of years as may be deemed reasonable by the Mayor and Council; and

Whereas, The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken is without legal authority to enter into a contract with any person, company or corporation, for furnishing electric light to the city for a period beyond the term of five years; and

Whereas, The Common Council, notwithstanding the informality of the proposal of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company to furnish electric light to the city, in accordance with the aforesaid specifications, and notwithstanding that the proposal of the Public Service Corporation was the only formal bid presented to the Common Council, in accordance with the aforesaid specifications; and

Whereas, The Common Council, after due deliberation, deem it advisable and for the best interests of the City of Hoboken, that the aforesaid proposals be rejected ,in order that proposals for the aforesaid electric lighting may be readvertised for; therefore be it

Resolved, That all proposals heretofore submitted to the Common Council for the lighting of the streets, roads and public places in the City of Hoboken, in accordance with the specifications prepared by the Committee on Lamps and Gas be and the same are hereby rejected; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to readvertise, according to law, for proposals for the lighting of the streets, roads and public places in the City of Hoboken, in accordance with the specifications prepared by the Committee on Lamps and Gas, and now on file with the City Clerk.

The Chairman announced that the Council would hear any person who desired to speak in favor or against said resolution.

Counselor Lichtenstein addressed the Council against the resolution and requested that a contract be awarded to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company.

Corporation Attorney Fallon, on montion of Councilman Buckley, was requested to advise the Council as to its right to award a contract to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, to begin some time in the future or some time beginning after January 1, 1910.

Mr. Fallon addressed the Council and advised that they were not legally authorized to grant a contract to the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company.

The Chairman asked Mr. Horace L. Allen if he desired to say anything to the Council.

Mr. Allen then began to address the Council.

Councilmen Gonzales moved that Mr. Allen be excused from further addressing the Council.

Councilman Buckley moved as an amendment that Mr. Allen be permitted to continue his remarks.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Foley.

Absent—None.

Communication from the United Italian Societies, requesting that the decorations on the City Hall, put up for the Hudson-Fulton celebration, be allowed to remain for the proper observance of Columbus Day, October 12, 1909, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the United States Wood Preserving Company, relative to a claim of $407.08, being the balance due on contract for wood block pavement, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, requesting that shutter door be placed on the Public Comfort House in Church Square Park, also that the Park Keepers be furnished with suitable badges to be worn on coat lapel or hat, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Communication from the Board of Playground Commissioners, notifying the Council of the appointment of Julius Durstowotz, Superintendent of Playgrounds, and Henry F. Ryan, Custodian, was presented, read and received.

Communication from the Board of Water Commissioners, relative to the extension of water mains through Eighth and Ninth streets, easterly from Bloomfield street to Castle Point Terrace, was presented, read and received.

Communication from C. M. Owens & Co., requesting that an arc light be placed at the southeast corner of Tenth and Madison streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, protesting against the bill and placard posting on telegraph poles, was presented, read and referred to the Chief of Police.

Communication from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, enclosing three proposals for city lighting, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Emil L. Rettich, Peter Tivy, Laurence Martin, Martin Huelbig, Jacob Beck, George Troester, James Chirchella, Herman Joch, Antonio Dadas, Paul Kramer, Martin Daab, Rudolph Veit, Alfred G. Greiner, Ruby Branda, Thomas F. Sharkey, John L. Heusner, Rudolph W. Kern, Marin Marinowich, Victor Rivari, Max Volker, William Siems, Chris Sarunich, William Bigley, Paul Neubig, Fred Hagens, William Sparks, Estate of John Wiemkes, Isaac Schnieweis, Henry Bunker, John H. Bodenstein.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Domenico Protomastro, John J. Byrnes, Charles Degerick, Frederick J. Martin, Max Smith, Nicholas J. Zatta, Sylvester Scutellaro, Thos. Byrnes, Antonio Dadas.

For peddlers' licenses: Jacob Goldstein, Thomas Laporlas.

For beer bottlers' licenses: Estate of Chas. F. Kaegebehn, Fred Hopp.

For musician license: Giovanni Cabrelli.

For truck license: Campbell's Stores (8).

For second-hand dealer: G. Koseker.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Alfred L. Weinthal, music furnished Hudson-Fulton celebration	$120 00
George A. Junker, music furnished Hudson-Fulton celebration	168 00
Alfred L. Weinthal, music furnished Hudson-Fulton celebration	88 00
Frank C. Martin, music furnished Hudson-Fulton celebration	104 00
Fritz Glinz, music furnished Hudson-Fulton celebration	104 00
Henry Tomford, Jr., music in Hudson Square Park for Hudson-Fulton celebration	78 00
T. J. Curran, decorations for Hudson-Fulton celebration	25 00
J. M. Patterson, fifty dozen American flags for Hudson-Fulton celebration	50 00

Spohn & Wittenberg, use of chair in Hudson Square Park for Hudson-Fulton celebration 3 50

Joseph Girone & Bro., fireworks for Hudson-Fulton celebration 200 10

Thomas B. Usher, services and disbursements in investigating assessments 300 00

Theodore Rurode, reporting and making transcript of the proceedings before the State Board of Equalization of Taxes 193 40

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Frank Becht, repairing clock at City Hall 5 00

William A. Barrett, washing towels.. 6 00

W. D. Bindewald, one barrel of disinfectant 65 00

Fagan Iron Works, supplies furnished Second Precinct..... 22 70

Fagan Iron Works, repairs, etc., in parks 26 00

John T. Dunne, ice furnished ambulance house 61 20

E. Londrigan, supplies furnished at City Hall 59 05

Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, attending clocks at City Hall..... 10 00

Hoboken Elictric Equipment Co., repairs to clock in tower at City Hall 9 50

John Stuart, calking pontoons at public bath 15 75

James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall 20 00

John T. Dunne, ice furnished Second Precinct 61 20

John T. Dunne, ice furnished public bath 42 80

Fagan Iron Works, repairing park benches 87 20

Fagan Iron Works, one set of grate bars for City Hall..... 60 75

C. F. Jubitz, one case of soap powder for Second Precinct..... 4 50

C. F. Jubitz, supplies furnished Armory 4 00

James Murray, sprinklin streets around City Hall..... 20 00

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall 13 05

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall 32 65

W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of sweeping powder 16 00

J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall 25 85

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled 65 00

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department 50 00

Charles Hvass & Co., repairs to street sweeper 15 00

Peter A. Peluso, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from September 25 to October 25, 1909..... 1,082 91

To the Committee on Sewers:

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers 55 00

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers..... .. 40 00

A. J. Greenberg, boots furnished Sewer Department 18 00

Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department 20 00

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers 70 00

Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers 30 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

Evening Journal Association, advertising proposals for the improvement with brick pavement..... 21 00

Evening Journal Association, advertising resolution to redistrict the election districts 54 00

Evening Journal Association, advertising proposal of wood block pavement 26 46

Evening Journal Association, advertising notice to election clerks.... 10 00

Evening Journal Association, advertising notice to election clerks.... 10 00

Evening Journal Association, advertising notice to Special Election on Constitutional Amendments 36 00

The Democrat, stationery furnished Recorder 24 50

The Democrat, publishing proposals. 34 20

The Democrat, publishing resolution to redistrict the election districts.. 149 10

The Democrat, stationery furnished Inspector of Weights and Measures 18 75

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 34 05

The Observer, printing minutes of October 13, 1909..... 4 50

The Observer, stationery furnished the Recorder 61 00

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices 9 78

The Observer, publishing minutes of September 22 and September 24, 1909 .... 276 00

The Observer, publishing proposals for asphalt pavement..... 49 20

The Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller 19 50

The Observer, publishing notice of electric light hearing	120 75
The Elliott-Fischer Company, repairing typewriter in City Clerk's office	1 05

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners, etc	23 50
Thos. J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	79 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children, etc	12 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children	11 00
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00

To the Committee on Alms:

C. Schuemann, shoes furnished the poor	1 50
M. Driesen & Son, clothing furnished the poor	3 00
H. K. Mulford, antitoxin furnished the poor	8 10
William Kamlah, medical supplies	52 50
William Seiden, medical supplies	7 00
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J. Begg, care of homeless	6 00
Mrs. J. Davin, care of homeless	5 35
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless	4 00
L. Hilke, Jr., care of homeless	8 00
Wm. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
C. F. Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Braun & Gerth, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
J. Baracchi, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
M. Callahan, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
H. Schraeder, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
H. Stuhrmann, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
L. Stein, care of homeless	7 00
J. Figalli, care of homeless	8 00
E. Londrigan, care of homeless	8 00
M. Goutner, care of homeless	6 00
J. Schmalz's Sons, bread tickets furnished the poor	20 00
Wm. Disch, burial of poor	10 00
Dr. A. Friedman, care of homeless	5 00
G. Curcio, conveying homeless sto Almshause	4 00
J. Keaveney, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of the sick, indigent poor and emergency poor	1,783 00

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Henry Cordts, as auctioneer.

Specifications for the laying of asphalt pavement in Seventh, Fifth and Third streets were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets.

Final certificate of Eugene Smtih, City Surveyor, for the sum of $392.44, in favor of himself, for services as engineer of asphalt paving on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $84, in favor of Joseph Young, for services as inspector of asphalt paving on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $9,811.95, in favor of the Barber Asphalt Paving Co., for asphalt paving on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $108, in favor of himself, for services as engineer on the repaving of Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets; and Fourth street, between Mornoe and Jackson streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,570, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, for services as contractor for the repaving of Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets; and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, was presented ,read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $234, in favor of Patrick Londrigan, for services as inspector on the sewer and other improvements in Madison, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $3,050, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on the sewer and other improvements in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $63, in favor of James Cannon, for services as inspector for repairing, sewer, etc., in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $24.12, in favor of himself, for services as engineer for repairing sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $760, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, for services as contractor for repairing sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $7,256.14, to pay salaries, etc., for the last half-month of October, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,500, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half-month of Nvember, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $17,329.54, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half-month of October, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,654.46, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half-month of November, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners for the sum of $656.68, to pay curren expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred ot the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of $133.33, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of $500 to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of $500, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners, for the sum of $9,697.32, to pay current expenses for the laying of the new water main in Madison and Fifteenth streets. was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of September, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Eugene Smtih, City Surveyor, on the completion of asphalt pavement, Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of repaving of Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets; and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of repairing sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets, was presented, rea dand referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of repairing sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen, Bahrenberg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The various committees reported the following claims corrcet:

George H. Boland, repairs to typewriter in Building Inspector's office	$20 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
Fagan Iron Works, one bar for receiving basin, etc.	3 38

A. J. Greenfield, boots furnished Sewer Department	11 00
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	87 47
A. Hanniball, feed furnished Street Department	27 34
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	39 00
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	19 25
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	17 65
Thos. C. Sproul, plumbing repairs at Police Headquarters	41 10
Theodore Rurode, reporting and making transcript of the proceedings before the State Board of Equalization of Taxes	193 40
Frank Becht, repairing clock at City Hall	5 00
William A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
Mrs. D. M. Hubbell, attending clocks at City Hall	10 00
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	65 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Street Department	50 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	55 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	40 00
A. J. Greenberg, boots furnished Sewer Department	18 00
Mrs. M. Clark, supplies furnished Sewer Department	20 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	70 00
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	30 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners, etc	23 50
Thos. J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	79 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children, etc	12 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children	11 00
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00
C. Schuemann, shoes furnished the poor	1 50
M. Driesen & Son, clothing furnished the poor	3 00
H. K. Mulford, antitoxin furnished the poor	8 10
William Kamlah, medical supplies	52 50
William Seiden, medical supplies	7 00
William Seiden, medical supplies	7 00
J. Begg, care of homeless	6 00
Mrs. J. Davin, care of homeless	5 35
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless	4 00
L. Hilke, Jr., care of homeless	8 00
Wm. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
Fred H. Becker, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
I. Weisman, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
C. F. Jubitz, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
Braun & Gerth, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
R. Dadas, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
J. Baracchi, groceries furnished the poor	24 00
M. Callahan, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
G. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
H. Schraeder, groceries furnished the poor	30 00
H. Stuhrmann, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
J. Rehm & Co., groceries furnished the poor	15 00
Fred Luis, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
L. Stein, care of homeless	7 00
J. Figalli, care of homeless	8 00
E. Londrigan, care of homeless	8 00
M. Goutner, care of homeless	6 00
J. Schmalz's Sons, bread tickets furnished the poor	20 00
Wm. Disch, burial of poor	10 00
Dr. A. Friedman, care of homeless	5 00
G. Curcio, conveying homeles sto Almshause	4 00
J. Keaveney, conveying homeless to Almshouse	2 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of the sick, indigent poor and emergency poor	1,783 00

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the final certificate of Francis Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,812.22, in favor of W. A. Connell, contractor, for repairing sewer, etc., in Jackson street, be-

tween First street and Paterson avenue, reporte dthe same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark ,the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the final certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, for the sum of $76.30, in favor of himself for services as City Surveyor, for repairing, etc., on sewer in Jackson street, between First street and Paterson avenue, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark ,the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $3,050, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on the sewer and other improvements in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark ,the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $234, in favor of Patrick Londrigan, for services as inspector on sewer and other improvements in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark ,the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $760, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, for services as contractor for repairing sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark ,the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $24.12, in favor of himself, for services as engineer for repairing sewer in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark ,the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $63, in favor of James Cannon, for services as inspector for repairing sewer, etc., in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark ,the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $108, in favor of himself for services as engineer for repaving Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $84 in favor of Joseph Young, for services as inspector of asphalt paving on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate for the sum of $392.44, in favor of himself, for services as engineer of asphalt paving on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,570, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, for services as contractor on repaving Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the following bonds and agreements, reported in favor of adopting and approving the said bonds and agreements:

The Barber Asphalt Paving Co., asphalt paving on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets.

The Standard Bitulithic Co., wood block pavement in front of School No. 7, on Park avenue, and Newark street, between Park and Willow avenues.

The Standard Bitulithic Co., wood block pavement on Adams, Jefferson and Seventh streets, around School No. 8.

Joseph Murphy & Son, brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets.

The Standard Bitulithic Co., bitulithic pavement on River street, between Fifth and Sixth streets; Sixth street, between Hudson and River streets.

Henry Waddington, Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets; Clinton street, between Sixth and Seventh streets; Seventh street, between Willow avenue and Clinton street.

Henry Waddington, Belgian block pavement of Jefferson street, between Ferry and First streets.

Henry Waddington, Belgian block pavement of Adams street, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

Henry Waddington, Belgian block pavement of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street.

Henry Waddington, Belgian block pavement of Willow avenue, between Ferry and Third streets.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the following bonds and agreements, reported in favor of adopting and approving the said bonds and agreements:

W. A. Connell, cleaning, raising and repairing of the box sewer in Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street.

Thomas Cavanagh, rebuilding, repairing and cleaning of brick sewer in Jackson street, between Third and Fifth streets.

Thomas Cavanagh, brick sewer and Belgian block pavement, grading, curbing and flagging in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

On motion of Councilman Clark, the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

Whereas, At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Hoboken, held March 29th, 1909, a resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise, according to law, for proposals for the lighting of the streets, roads and public places in the City of Hoboken, in accordance with the specifications to be prepared by the Committee on Lamps and Gas, was regularly adopted, and said resolution was approved by His Honor the Mayor, March 30th, 1909; and

Whereas, The Committee on Lamps and Gas prepared and filed with the City Clerk specifications for said lighting; and

Whereas, The City Clerk, in compliance with the aforesaid resolution, advertised for proposals to be submitted, according to said specifications for periods of one, three and five years respectively, to the Common Council at a regular meeting of said board to be held April 28th, 1909; and

Whereas, At the aforesaid regular meeting of the Common Council held April 28th, 1909, a proposal was received from the Public Service Corporation, to provide lighting, for a period of one year, three years and five years, respectively, as per said specifications; and

Whereas, At the said regular meeting of the Common Council, held April 28th, 1909, The Citizens' Light, Heat and Powe Company presented to the Common Council a petition asking for a franchise to open up the streets of the city for the purpose of laying therein wires, pipes and conduits, and to erect poles or posts on said streets and in public places, and to string and sustain thereon electric wires and fixtures, for the purpose of supplying the City of Hoboken and others with electric current for light, heat and power, and setting forth therein that said permission was requested for a term of twenty years from the date of the passage of an ordinance granting such permission; and

Whereas, The aforesaid petition of The Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company recited that in the event of said permission being granted by the City of Hoboken, and the City of Hoboken entering into a contract with said Company, under the terms in said petition mentioned, for all the municipal lighting during the term for which the aforesaid permission was requested, to wit, the term of twenty years; that said company would furnish all the arc lights to the City of Hoboken, according to the specifications on file with the City Clerk, at the rate of seventy dollars per lamp per annum; and

Whereas, At a regular meeting of the Common Council, held June 14th, 1909, the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company submitted to and filed with the Common Council a withdrawal of the proposition contained in its aforesaid petition for a twenty year contract, and proposed instead thereof to accept a contract for such a terms of years as may be deemed reasonable by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, At a regular meeting of the Common Council, held June 23rd, 1909, the Public Service Corporation submitted to said Council a further proposal to enter into a five year contract for the aforesaid city lighting, at a rate of seventy-five dollars per lamp per annum; and

Whereas, The Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, at a regular meetnig of the Common Council, held July 28, 1909, submitted to said Council a petition, asking for the grant of a franchise to erect poles and lay conduits, etc., for electric lighting throughout the City of Hoboken, according to the terms of said petition, and in its said latter petition recited that the period for which said permission was requested is a term which will in the discretion of the Mayor and Council be most advantageous to the people of the City of Hoboken; and

Whereas, It appears from the foregoing that the only formal proposal presented to the Common Council at the meeting held April 28th, 1909, was the proposal of the Public Service Corporation; and that the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company withdrew its proposal for the award, to wit, of a twenty year contract, and substituted in lieu thereof a proposal for the award to said company for such a term of years as may be deemed reasonable by the Mayor and Council; and

Whereas, The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken is without legal authority to enter into a contract with any person, company or corporation, for furnishing electric light to the city for a period beyond the term of five years; and

Whereas, The Common Council, notwithstanding the informality of the proposal of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company to furnish electric light to the city, in accordance with the aforesaid specifications, and notwithstanding that the proposal of the Public Service Corporation was the only formal bid presented to the Common Council, in accordance with the aforesaid specifications; and

Whereas, The Common Council, after due deliberation, deem it advisable and for the best interests of the City of Hoboken, that the aforesaid proposals be rejected, in order that proposals for the aforesaid electric lighting may be readvertised for; therefore be it

Resolved, That all proposals heretofore submitted to the Common Council for the lighting of the streets, roads and public places in the City of Hoboken, in accordance with the specifications prepared by the Committee on Lamps and Gas be and the same are hereby rejected: and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to readvertise, according to law, for proposals for the lighting of the streets, roads and public places in the City of Hoboken, in accordance with the specifications prepared by the Committee on Lamps and Gas, and now on file with the City Clerk.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely,, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrich and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Resolved, That Julius Durstowitz be and he is hereby appointed superintendent of playgrounds, at a monthly salary of $83.33;

Resolved, That Henry F. Ryan be and he is hereby appointed custodia nof playgrounds at a monthly salary of $50.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Cuoncilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $1,812.22 in favor of W. A. Connell, on the improvement of Jackson street sewer, between First street and Paterson avenue, as per certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, presented Septmbr 22, 1909, and reported correct this dae.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs. Gonzales, McFeely. Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for $234 in favor of Patrick Londrigan, inspector on the improvement of Madison street sewer and other improvements, between Eighth and Ninth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $63.00, in favor of James Cannon, on the repairing of sewer, etc., in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fift streets, as

per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $24.12 in favor of Eugene Smith on the repairing of sewer, etc., in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereb ydirected to draw a warrant for $76.30, in favor of Francis A. Stanton, on the improvement of Jackson street sewer, between First street and Paterson avenue, as per certificate of Francis A. Stanton, City Surveyor, presented September 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, hTat the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warant for $392.44, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of asphalt paving on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 13, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmau Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the Cty Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $84 in favor of Joseph Young, inspector on the improvement of Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 13, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely. Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $108 in favor of Eugene Smith, on the improvement of repaving Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $760 in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, on the repairing of sewer, etc., in Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported corect this date.

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for $3,050 in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, on the improvement of Madison street sewer and other improvements, between Eighth and Ninth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for $2,570 in favor of Thomas

Cavanagh, on the improvement of repaving of Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Clark, Foley, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Friedrichs, Gonzales and Chairma nWhelan.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Zang and Gonzales presente dthe following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Boar dof Fire Commisioners for the sum of $17,329.54, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of October, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the fire fund for the sum of $17,329.54, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whelan, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of October, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Zang and Gonzales presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,654.46, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half month of November, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directe dto draw a warrant on the fire fund for the sum of $4,654.46, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half month of November, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the su mof $500, to pay current expenses of the Board, report the same corect, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $500, in favor of John J. Rudolph, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of $500, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct ,and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $500 in favor of John J. Rudolph, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Boar dof Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Buckley presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $7,256.14, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of October, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $7,256.14, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the police department for the last half month of October 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Buckley presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,500, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half-month of November, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,500 in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Police Department for the first half-month of November, 1909:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners for the sum of $133.33 to pay curren expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directe dto draw a warrant on the contingent fund for the sum of $133.33, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commissioners, to pay current expenses of the Board of Playground Commissioners.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners for the sum of $656.68, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directe dto draw a warrant on the contingent fund for the sum of $656.68, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commissioners, to pay current expenses of the Board of Playground Commissioners.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners for the sum of $9,697.32, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directe dto draw a warrant on the contingent fund for the sum of $9,697.32, in favor of the Board of Water Commissioners, to pay current expenses of the laying of new water mains on Madison and Fifteenth streets.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of October, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costelio, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	60 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half month of November, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named named city officers to pay salaries for the month of October, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician	$83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney	150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue	125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue	100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall	75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor	116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks	100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct	75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court	125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00
W. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk	100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner	166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper	60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk	116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor	208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court	75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk	125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder	208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner	125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector	125 00

John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper	60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician	83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector	100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer	125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys....	41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court	26 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court.....	250 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, November 10, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren and Zang.

There being no quorum present, the Chairman declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, November 24, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the reading of the minutes of the stated sessions of the Council, held October 27 and November 10, 1909, was dispensed with, and they were approved as printed.

Invitation to attend the annual ball of the Association of Exempt Firemen, to be held at Odd Fellows' Hall on Thursday evening, November 25, 1909, was presented, read and received.

Order from Francis J. Swayze, Esq., Justice of the Supreme Court, in the matter of the application of Michael A. Carroll, for a recount of the votes cast in the Fourth District of the First Ward of the City of Hoboken, for the office of Committeeman of the Fourth District of the First Ward of Hoboken, at the Democratic Primary Election held September 28, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from Stevens Institute of Technology, requesting that Sixth street be repaved to the eastern terminus, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from Henry Vatcky, notifying the Council of having sold out his business to Henry Stern, as to the contract of the removal of dead animals from the city of Hoboken, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, relative to defects in certain streets as a result of improper closing of openings, made for purposes of repairs, was presented, read and referred to the Street Commissioner.

Communication from the Hoboken Board of Trade, relative to the purchase of porcelain or enameled street signs for the sum of 23½ cents, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from John Mohr, notifying the Council of not having paid rent on the lots 305-307 Jackson street, for the storage of paving blocks, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that William Rees be granted an exempt fireman's certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Board of Education, requesting that bonds be issued for the sum of $250,000 for the erection of a school house, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Communication from Adolph Horwitz, in reference to the condition of the sidewalk in front of his premises on Jefferson street, was presented, read and referrd to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Communication from Sowden & DeYoung, in reference to estimating on street lighting, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas, in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

Communication from the Citizens' Association, requesting that the specifications for public lighting be revised; communication from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, declining to accept the franchise contained in an ordinance passed on September 22, 1909; petition from the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company, for franchise, etc., was on motion of Councilman Wren referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas, in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following petitions for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: William Schaak, Anthony Casazza, Michael Beyersdorfer, Henry Dohrmann, Albertus Kleen, Frank Eberhart, Thomas J. McGrath, Fred Bonnet, John Callaghan, Ernst Droste, Anton Lecari, Louis Castello, Paul Zeeb, Thomas Bagelmann, William L. Grote, Fred Grube, Victor Braun, Adolph Gressard, Wm. C. Kackenmester, Joseph Hoegler, George A. Siecke, Anthony Raffo, Louis Bockhahn, Frank Luciano.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Robert Schweginnis, Alfred G. Greiner, Alfred Greiner, Burgard Weiss, John Harder, Carl Ellenberg, W. H. Totten, Ottmar Hopfner, Jacob Breich, Charles Reymann, Henry Hohn, Joseph A. Wacker, Charles Weinacht.

For peddler's licenses: A. C. Medeuil, Henry Traubel, A. Abelson, Jacob Varey.

For junkman's license: Dominick Liguori.

For beer bottler's license: Clemente Papa.

For auctioneer's license: Henry Cordts.

For musician's licenses: Francesco Toscano, Filomena Pacitti.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Horace L. Allen, incidental expenses from January 1 to November 24, 1909	$42 85
Harry W. Lange, taxed costs in case of George W. Gonzales and the Mayor and Council	23 17
Timothy Shea, services rendered Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	51 00
Timothy Shea, services rendered Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	43 50
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for September, 1909	39 13
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for August, 1909	40 65
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for July, 1909	37 90
A. P. Hexamer, 'bus hire for Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	66 00
R. Kirchgessner, decorating City Hall and grand stand for Hudson-Fulton celebration	210 00
Alexander T. McCabe, electric installation at Hudson Square Park for Hudson-Fulton celebration as per contract	1,600 00
William A. Sander, music furnished Hudson-Fulton celebration	104 00
Robert J. Rath, building grand stand in front of City Hall for celebration	40 00
Public Service Corp., electric current supplied for Hudson-Fulton celebration	400 50
O. K. Electric Equip. Co., electrical decorations on City Hall for Hudson-Fulton celebration	1,600 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

James Whalen, repairs to boiler at City Hall	$94 44
James Whalen, foundation for fountain at Hudson Square Park	97 82
James Whalen, mason work at Second Precinct	59 19
James Whalen, mason work at Second Precinct	95 40
Robert J. Rath, building closets in Assessors' office	85 49
Robert J. Rath, carpenter work at Ambulance House	9 39
William A. Barrett, washing towels.	6 00
Robert J. Rath, building grand stand in front of City Hall for Decoration Day	40 00
Frank Becht, attending clock in City Hall tower for quarter ending November, 1909	10 00
Columbian Insecticide Co., 100 pounds of insecticide and two barrels of absorbent dust	91 00
Columbian Insecticide Co., three barrels of absorbent dust	24 00
Hoboken Electric Equip. Co., electrical repairs at Police Headquarters	7 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished parks	12 27
William Miller, use of horse and wagon in parks	14 00
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall	65 80
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall	49 15
Columbian Insecticide Co., three barrels of absorbent dust	24 00
William Phillips, removing awnings from Second Precinct	8 50
Lawson & MacMurray, lumber furnished parks	8 00
O. K. Electric Equip. Co., repairs to electric lights in Hudson Square Park	3 00
Samuel Becker, glass furnished Ambulance House	8 90
Hoboken Electric Equip. Co., electrical repairs	3 50
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	10 00
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall	99 45
Bernard McGovern, putting in water pipes and drains from fountain in Elysian Park	95 08
Bernard McGovern, putting in drinking fountain in Elysian Park	93 70

Bernard McGovern, putting in new street washers, repairing water pipes, etc., at Elysian Park.....	31 54
Thomas Bowes & Bros., plumbing work at Police Headquarters and Armory	55 80
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Armory	11 04
Anthony Anone, metal ceiling in hallway at Armory	25 00
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at City Hall	6 10
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Ambulance House	7 10
James A. Marnell, repairing steam pipes at City Hall	8 20
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Police Headquarters	3 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Pay roll, cleaning streets	$368 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	300 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	33 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	242 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	412 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	381 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	295 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	333 50
Pay roll, repairing plumber's openings	17 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	32 00
Pay roll, repairing plumber's openings	17 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	348 75
Pay roll, cleaning streets.....	331 75
Pay roll, repairing streets	27 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	30 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	33 25
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	23 60
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies for Street Department	9 32
Trost & Hinternhoff, cement furnished Street Department	4 38
Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for the quarter ending October, 1909	150 00
John Zang, supplies furnished Street Department	13 85
Charles Hvass & Co., 9 dozen brooms for Street Department	94 50
William Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	39 00
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies for Street Department	5 00
Joseph Kneer, clipping horses for Street Department	22 00

To the Committee on Sewers:

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department	$9 45
James A. Marnell, repairing sluicegate	8 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	25 00
John Zang, supplies furnished Sewer Department	25 70
Pay roll, repairing sewers	33 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	27 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	33 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	46 75
Pay roll, repairing sewers	33 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	28 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	83 75
Pay roll, repairing sewers	51 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers.....	38 25
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	$38 55
The Observer, printing minutes of October 27, 1909	225 00
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	37 38
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	46 00
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	10 75
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	86 50
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	84 00
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	87 75
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	58 15
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	34 75
The Observer, printing minutes of November 10, 1909	4 50
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	73 90
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	40 00
The Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriter for City Clerk	71 25
The Evening Journal Association, publishing proposals	31 50

The Inquirer, publishing resolutions to redistrict election districts.... 74 10
The Inquirer, publishing proposals for asphalt pavement 14 50

To the Committee on Lamps and Gas:

Public Service Corp., street lighting for September, 1909 .....$1,990 42
Public Service Corp., street lighting for October, 1909 ..... 2,006 71
Public Service Corp., gas consumed in public buildings for October, 1909 .... 25 80
Public Service Corp., gas consumed in public buildings for September, 1909 ..... 26 70
Public Service Corp., lighting public buildings for September, 1909.... 239 67
Public Service Corp., lighting public buildings for October, 1909 ..... 298 70
Public Service Corp., one dozen lamps 1 80

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M $15 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners 10 50
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners 63 00

To the Committee on Alms:

A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor $3 00
August Katt, groceries furnished the poor 21 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
M. Burns, groceries furnished the poor 5 00
F. J. Kopp, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
John H. Thiesmeier, groceries furnished the poor 36 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor 18 00
S. Rosenfeld, groceries furnished the poor 3 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies for ambulance 9 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor..... 93 50
J. Figallo, care of homeless..... 12 20
Edward W. Fuldner, burial of poor. 11 50
Frank Cordts, care of homeless.... 13 00
I. Weiman, care of homeless 7 00
L. B. Guilloud, care of homeless.... 6 00
Martin M. Handle, meals furnished the poor 3 00
J. Leib, groceries furnished the poor 6 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor 18 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor 54 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor 12 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor 9 00
J. Baracchi, groceries furnished the poor 27 00
St. Mary's Hospital, emergency cases committed by police, care of sick and indigent poor, etc..... ...1,861 00

The following communication from His Honor, Mayor Steil, was presented and read:

Mayor's Office,
November 24, 1909.

To the Council:

Gentlemen—Subject to your confirmation, I hereby appoint Ernest Fischer as Police Commissioner.

Respectfully,

GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Councilman Buckley moved that the communication be received and the nomination of Mr. Ernest Fischer as Police Commissioner be confirmed by this Council.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenberg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Wrelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor, Mayor Steil, was presented and read:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Nov. 10, 1909.

To the Honorable Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I herewith return without my approval a resolution passed at your last meeting, rejecting all bids for electric lighting and directing the City Clerk to readvertise for bids.

My reasons for so doing are as follows: The principle object of any public advertisement for bids is to invite, not to restrict competition. In a city like Hoboken, where the Public Service Corporation is the only concern having a plant in operation, ample provision should be made in advertising for bids for electric lighting, affording an opportunity to any corporation to bid for the city lighting, even though it has no plant in actual operation. It should provide that the successful bidder would have a reasonable time within which to erect its plant. If such provision is not made you can readily see that advertising for public lighting would be

nothing but a farce, as it would exclude all competition.

This resolution is so worded that the Public Service Corporatoin, being the only company in this locality with a plant in operation, would be the sole bidder, and the City of Hoboken, in the event of this resolution being put into effect, would be placed at the mercy of this company.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the communication was received and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas, in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following applications for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case.

For retail liquor licenses—Emil L. Rettich, Peter Tivy, Laurence Martin, Martin Huelbig, Jacob Beck, George Troester, Herman Joch, Antonio Dadas, Paul Kramer, Martin Daab, Rudolph Veit, Alfred G. Greiner, Ruby Granda, Thomas F. Sharkey, John L. Heusner, Rudolph W. Kern, Martin Marinowich, Victor Rivari, Max Volker, William Siems, Chris. Sarunich, William Bigley, Paul Neubig, William Sparks, Fred. Hagens, Estate of John Wiemkes, Isaac Schniewies, Fritz Schlosser, Conrad Becker, Simon Beer, Michael Bogaik, Henry Muller, John Formoso, Henry Bunker, John H. Bodenstein.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses—George Ploner, Martin Weiss, Frank Koziolek, Thomas Byrnes, Nicholas J. Zatta, John J. Byrnes, Antonio Dadas, Max Smith, Frederick J. Martin, Charles Degerick, Domenico Promastro.

For peddlers' licenses—Star Specialty Co., Manuel Laxaro, Jacob Goldstein, Charles Fisher Thomas Laporlas, Antonio Padrone.

For beer bottlers' licenses—Estate of Chas. Kaegebehn, Fred. Hopp.

For musician's license—Giovanni Cabrelli.

For truck licenses—Campbell's Stores (6).

For second-hand dealer's license—C. Ko-

For theatre license—Gayety Theatre Co.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the licenses granted seker.

by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various committees reported the following claims correct:

Thomas Bowes & Bros., plumbing work at Police Headquarters	$18 25
Frank Cordts, supplies furnished Police Headquarters	49 00
Timothy J. Conlin, seven days' services to Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	21 00
Edw. C. Dorrbecker, trimming trees in Church Square Park	60 00
John T. Dunne, ice furnished Public Bath	42 80
John T. Dunne, ice furnished Second Precinct	61 20
John T. Dunne, ice furnished Ambulance House	61 20
The Democrat, publishing proposals.	34 20
The Democrat, publishing resolution to redistrict the electio ndistricts..	149 10
The Democrat, stationery furnished Inspector of Weights and Measures	18 75
The Democrat, statoinery furnished Recorder	24 50
Elliott-Fisher Co., repairing typewriter in City Clerk's office	1 05
Charles Fieberling, five days' work at plots around City Hall	15 00
Fagan Iron Works, reptairs, etc., in parks	26 00
Fagan Iron Works, supplies furnished Second Precinct	22 70
Fagan Iron Works, repairing park benches	87 20
Fagan Iron Works, one set of bars for City Hall	60 75
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., repairs to clock in tower	9 50
Chas. F. Jubitz, supplies furnished Armory	4 00
Chas. F. Jubitz, one case of soap powder	4 50
William Hammell, carpenter work at city stable	36 66
E. Londrigan, supplies furnished City Hall	59 05
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	20 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	20 00
C. Muzzi, supplies, etc., furnished parks	37 20
The Observer, publishing minutes of September 22 and September 24, 1909	276 00
The Observer, publishing minutes of October 13, 1909	4 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of September 1, 8, 15, 1909	96 50
The Observer, publishing minutes of July 28, 1909	72 50

The Observer, publishing minutes of August 25, 1909	304 00
The Observer, publishing notice of electric hearing, etc.	120 75
The Observer, publishing proposals for asphalt pavement	49 20
The Observer, publishing proposals, etc.	144 20
The Observer, stationery furnished Comptroller	19 50
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	9 78
The Observer, stationery furnished Recorder	61 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	34 05
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	64 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	24 50
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	13 05
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	25 85
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	32 65
Public Service Corporation, street lighting for August, 1909	1,990 65
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for January, 1909	51 00
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for February, 1909	60 30
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for March, 1909	37 30
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for April, 1909	50 40
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for May, 1909	38 60
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for June, 1909	39 90
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for July, 1909	32 70
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for August, 1909	50 60
Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for November, 1909	39 50
John Stuart ,caulking Public Bath.	12 50
John Stuart, caulking pontoons at Public Bath	15 75
R. Schwoerer, plants furnished City Hall	91 00
R. Schwoerer, plants furnished City Hall	24 00
John E. Wagener, repairing roof of Ambulance House	6 85
Waterbury Rubber Mfg. Co., 75 feet of rubber hose	11 25

On motion of Councilman Buckley, the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repaving with asphalt pavement of Seventh street, between Park avenue and Garden street; Fifth street, between Garden and Bloomfield streets; Third street, between Washington and River street, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company the lowest and only bid, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract repavnig with asphalt pavement of Seventh street, between Park avenue and Garden street; Fifth street, between Garden and Bloomfield streets, and Third street, between Washington and River streets, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Barber Asphalt Paving Co., at the prices named in its proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
RICHARD BUCKLEY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and raed:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for the repavig with wood block pavement of Washington, Newark, Bloomfield and First streets (the blocks

around City Hall), beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Richard Lamb the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving with wood block pavement of Washington, Newark, Bloomfield and First streets (the blocks around City Hall), be and the same is hereby awarded to Richard Lamb at the prices named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented and read:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the several proposals for repaving with wood block of First street, from Garden to Marshall streets, beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the same and find the one of Richard Lamb the lowest, and would therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the contract for the repaving with wood pavement of First street, from Garden to Marshall street, be and the same is hereby awarded to Richard Lamb, at the prices named in his proposal; and further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare the necessary bond and agreement for doing said work, and also that the City Clerk be directed to place all other proposals for doing said work on file.

BERNARD McFEELY,
THOMAS J. WREN,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren, the report was received and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley, McFeely, Zang, Clark, Wren and Whelan presented the following:

Whereas, It is important that additional facilities be provided as soon as possible for the purpose of carrying passengers to and from the ferry at the terminus of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railway Company in this city, and Public Service Railway Company is now engaged in constructing a terminal near said ferry, with elevated tracks above and one the line of the present surface tracks, whereby additional facilities will be provided for the transportation of passengers, and a question has arisen as to the right of the said company to construct an elevated structure for its tracks partly on Hudson Place, contiguous to the ferry entrance; and

Whereas, The plans of said Public Service Railway Company for such terminal and elevated tracks were submitted to and examined by this Council, and filed with the Building Inspector, before the work of construction was commenced! now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That consent is hereby given to the construction of such elevated tracks at the foot of Hudson Place, according to the said plans; and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor be respectfully requested to permit the completion of the work in pursuance of said plans.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The following communication from Corporation Attorney Fallon was presented and read:

Hoboken, N. J., November 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—The appeal of Morris & Essex Railroad Company, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company, lessee, and Hoboken Ferry Company, from the assessment made by the Board of Assessors of this city for the year 1908 on Plot A, known as the lower ferry property, was heard by the State Board of Equalization of Taxes. The following opinion was rendered by said Board:

"The evidence in this case shows clearly that the only part of the ferry buildings used for local purposes is the lower floor, and from the evidence it is also clearly ap-

parent that this use was three-fourths local and one-fourth railroad use.

"The right of the local assessors to assess property used in part for railroad purposes has been determined by the Supreme Court in re United N. J. Railroad & Canal Co. (68 Atl. Rep. 167), where, in the language of the court, it was held that so much of the lower floor of the ferry house as mainly devoted to the accommodation of local passengers, trucks and vehicles from the city and vicinity entering the ferryboats at that point, was subject to local taxation.

"The legal right of the assessors of the City of Hoboken to assess the lower floor of the ferry house having been clearly established, we find from the evidence that the market value of the lower floor on the twentieth day of May, 1908, was eighty-five thousand dollars ($85,000), and to that amount the assessment of the assessors of the City of Hoboken is affirmed. The major use of the land being for railroad purposes, it therefore is not subject under the law to taxation by the local assessors, and the assessment thereon by the assessors of the City of Hoboken must be cancelled."

I am convinced that the City of Hoboken was dealt with unfairly in this matter, and I believe that the opinion of the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, if not legally erroneous, is at least very questionable.

I respectfully request your honorable body to permit me to carry said matter to the Supreme Court for review.

Respectfully,

JOHN J. FALLON,
Corporation Attorney.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the communication was received and the request and recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report from the Commissioners of Assessments and Taxes, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney with power.

Hoboken, N. J., November 8, 1909.

To the Hon. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken.

Gentlemen—I beg to advise you that the valuation and assessment placed on the terminal plot of the Delaware-Lackawanna Railroad Company in the City of Hoboken, comprising 37.926 acres, b ythe State Board of Assessors for the year 1909 is $1,706,670, and is at the rate of $45,000 per acre. The plot of land south of and adjoining the plot lying in Jersey City, comprising 125.6 acres, is also owned by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, is valued and assessed by the same Board at $45,000 per acre.

It can be shown by expert testimony, already in the hands of the State Board of Assessors, that the part of the terminal plot lying in Hoboken is of far greater value per acre than the part lying in Jersey City.

It is evident that in assessing the entire plot of 163 acres, on the same basis, that the State Board of Assessors did not make allowances for this difference in value.

An appeal from the valuation and assessment of $1,706,670 should be immediately made, and the State Board of Assessors should be requested to apportion the valuation of $7,358,670 placed on the entire plot of 163.526 acres according to the true and relative value.

The time when such an appeal should be filed is November 15, 1909, and no time should be lost if such action is contemplated. No less can accrue to the city by such action and the expense would be nominal.

Yours truly,

COMMISSIONERS OF ASSESSMENT OF TAXES.

HENRY LOHMANN, JR.,
President.

The following report from the Commissioners of Assessments was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., November 24, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council, Hoboken, N. J.

Gentlemen—It had been noticed by this Board that the City of Hoboken was not benig fairly treated in the apportionment of the franchise tax, and on its behalf a letter was sent to the State Board of Assesors complaining of the discrepancy. I am pleased to inform you that the complaint has resulted in an allotment of $24,774.90, or $7,932.34 greater than last year.

Yours respectfully,

HENRY LOHMANN, JR.,
President.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

John J. McGreevy, as Constable of Fourth Ward.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,910, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor for the repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, was presented, read and

referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,160, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor for the repaving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,310, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor for the repaving of Adams street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $332.21, in favor of himself for services as engineer on bitulithic pavement on River and Sixth streets, was presented ,read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $80.42, in favor of himself for services as engineer on the repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $55.19, in favor of himself for services as engineer on the repaving of Adams street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $362.98, in favor of himself for services as engineer on wood block pavement on Seventh, Adams and Jefferson streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $7,890, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for bitulithic pavement on River and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $8,620, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for wood block pavement on Seventh, Adams and Jefferson streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $120, in favor of Joseph H. Cummings, for services as inspector on the repaving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,550.24, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last htlf month of November, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,500, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of December, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,644.58, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of November, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,807.65, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half month of December, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Education, for the sum of $25,000, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

Requisition from the Board of Free Public Library Trustees, for the sum of $3,000, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners, for the sum of $4,217.83, being the final payment for the laying of the 30-inch water main. was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Report of Eugene Smith, engineer on the completion of the improvement of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Eugene Smith, engineer on the completion of the improvement of Adams street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Eugene Smith, engineer on the completion of the improvement of wood block pavement around No. 8 School, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Street Commissioner on the collection of sewer tapping fees, for the months of July, August, September and October, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner on the collection of street opening fees for the months of July, August, September and October, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner on the collection of fees for the opening of asphalt streets from September 26, 1908, to May 10, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Street Commissioner on the collection of fees for old paving blocks, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of October, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following applications for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For retail liquor licenses: William Schaak, Anthony Casazza, Michael Beyersdorfer, Henry Dohrmann, Albertus Kleen, Frank Eberhart, Thomas J. McGrath, Fred Bonnet, John Callaghan, Ernst Droste, Anton Lecari, Louis Castello, Paul Zeeb, Thomas Bagelmann, William L. Grote, Fred Grube, Victor Braun, Adolph Gressard, Wm. C. Kackenmester, Joseph Hoegler, George A. Siecke, Anthony Raffo, Louis Bockhahn.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Robert Schweginnis, Alfred G. Greiner, Alfred Greiner, Burgard Weiss, John Harder, Carl Ellenberg, W. H. Totten, Ottmar Hopfner, Jacob Breich, Charles Reymann, Henry Hohn, Joseph A. Wacker, Charles Weinacht.

For peddler's licenses: A. C. Medeuil, Henry Traubel, A. Abelson, Jacob Varey.

For junkman's ilcense: Dominick Liguori.

For beer bottler's license: Clemente Papa.

For auctioneer's license: Henry Cordts.

For musician's licenses: Francesco Toscano, Filomena Pacitti.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following application for license, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioners:

For retail liquor license: Bodenstein & Schwiering.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the license granted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Clark and Wren.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Horace L. Allen, incidental expenses from January 1 to November 24, 1909	$42 85
Harry W. Lange, taxed costs in case of George W. Gonzales and the Mayor and Council	23 17
Timothy Shea, services rendered Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	51 00
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James Whalen, repairs to boiler at City Hall	94 44
James Whalen, foundation for fountain at Hudson Square Park	97 82
James Whalen, mason work at Second Precinct	59 19
James Whalen, mason work at Second Precinct	95 40
Robert J. Rath, building closets in Assessors' office	85 49
Robert J. Rath, carpenter work at Ambulance House	9 39
William A. Barrett, washing towels.	6 00
Robert J. Rath, building grand stand in front of City Hall for Decoration Day	40 00
Frank Becht, attending clock in City Hall tower for quarter ending November, 1909	10 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	368 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	300 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	33 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	242 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	412 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	381 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	295 25
Pay roll, cleaning streets	333 50

Pay roll, repairing plumber's openings	17 50
Pay roll, repairing streets	32 00
Pay roll, repairing plumber's openings	17 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	348 75
Pay roll, cleaning streets	331 75
Pay roll, repairing streets	27 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	30 00
Pay roll, repairing streets	33 25
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	23 60
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies for Street Department	9 32
Trost & Hinternhoff, cement furnished Street Department	4 38
Henry Vatcky, removing dead animals for the quarter ending October, 1909	150 00
John Zang, supplies furnished Street Department	13 85
William Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	39 00
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies for Street Department	5 00
Joseph Kneer, clipping horses for Street Department	22 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department	9 45
James A. Marnell, repairing sluicegate	8 50
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	25 00
John Zang, supplies furnished Sewer Department	25 70
Pay roll, repairing sewers	33 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	27 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	33 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	46 75
Pay roll, repairing sewers	33 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	28 50
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins.	83 75
Pay roll, repairing sewers	51 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	38 25
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	30 00
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, cleaning reeciving basins..	90 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	38 55
The Observer, printing minutes of October 27, 1909	225 00
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	37 38
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	46 00
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	10 75
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	86 50
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	84 00
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	87 75
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	58 15
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	34 75
The Observer, printing minutes of November 10, 1909	4 50
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	73 90
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	40 00
The Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriter for City Clerk	71 25
Public Service Corp., street lighting for September, 1909	1,990 42
Public Service Corp., street lighting for October, 1909	2,006 71
Public Service Corp., gas consumed in public buildings for October, 1909	25 80
Public Service Corp., gas consumed in public buildings for September, 1909	26 70
William A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	10 50
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	63 00
A. J. Sumfleth, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
August Katt, groceries furnished the poor	21 00
A. Begermann, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
M. Burns, groceries furnished the poor	5 00
F. J. Kopp, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
John H. Thiesmeier, groceries furnished the poor	36 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
S. Rosenfeld, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies for ambulance	9 00
John F. O'Hara, burial of poor	93 50
J. Figallo, care of homeless	12 20
Edward W. Fuldner, burial of poor.	11 50

Frank Cordts, care of homeless....	13 00
I. Weiman, care of homeless	7 00
L. B. Guilloud, care of homeless....	6 00
Martin M. Handie, meals furnished the poor	3 00
J. Leib, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	54 00
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
August Doppe, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
E. Miehe, groceries furnished the poor	9 00
J. Baracchi, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
St. Mary's Hospital, emergency cases committed by police, care of sick and indigent poor, etc..... ...	1,861 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance granting permission to Public Service Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate the terminal and elevated tracks in Hudson Place, in the City of Hoboken, according to plans heretofore filed with the Building Inspector.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $8,620, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for wood block pavement on Seventh street, Adams street and Jefferson street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $7,890, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for bitulithic pavement on River and Sixth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $362.98, in favor of himself, for services as engineer on wood block pavement on Seventh, Adams and Jefferson streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $55.19, in favor of himself, for services as engineer for repaving of Adams street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $80.42, in favor of himself, for services as engineer for repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $332.21, in favor of himself, for services as engineer on bitulithic pavement on River and Sixth streets, reported the same correct.

On mtoion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $120, in favor of Joseph H. Cummings, for services as inspector on the repaving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom were referred the specifications for the laying of asphalt pavement in Third, Fifth and Seventh streets, reported in favor of accepting and approving the said specifications.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant to his own order for the sum of $200, to pay city's share of expenses for the Registry and Constitutional Election held September 14, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Treasurer be and he is hereby directed and empowered to borrow the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) in the name of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, to meet obligations of the Board of Education for the month of November, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Present—Councilmen, Bahrenberg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, that a bond of said city to and for the amount of four thousand two hundred and seventeen dollars and eighty-three cents be issued, to be designated "Water Bond," to run for one year from the date of issue, to bear interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable annually, and that said bond shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk.

Be it further resolved, That said bond be sold to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of Hoboken at par, and that the said Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of Hoboken be and they are hereby authorized to purchase said bond.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, that a bond of said city to and for the amount of five thousand dollars, be issued, to be designated the Hudson-Fulton Ter-Centenary Bond, to run for one year from the date of issue, to bear interest at the rate of four cer cent per annum, payable annually, and that said bond shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk.

Be it further resolved, That said bond be sold to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of Hoboken at par, and that the said Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of Hoboken be and they are hereby authorized to purchase said bond.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley presented the following:

Whereas, The Common Council of the City of Hoboken deem it for the best interest of the city that all municipal supplies required for the year beginning January 1, 1910, be bought after due advertisement for bids therefor and from the lowest responsible bidder;

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to forthwith communicate with all city officers and municipal departments requiring said officers and departments to prepare and transmit to the Common Council a statement in detail of the supplies required by them respectively for the year beginning January 1, 1910; and be it further

Resolved, That all city officers and mbunicipal departments be and they are hereby required to transmit to the Common Council, the the next regular meeting of the Council, a statement in detail of the supplies required by them as aforesaid, and that a certified copy of this resolution be forthwith forwarded by the City Clerk to such officers and departments.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That Edward Moran be and he is hereby appointed inspector on the improvement of streets around City Hall, and First street, from Garden to Marshall streets, with wood block pavement, at a salary of three dollars per working day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That Thomas Kehoe be and he is hereby appointed as inspector on the improvement of Third, Fifth and Seventh streets with asphalt pavement, at a salary of three dollars per working day.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of twenty-five dollars ($25), to the order of Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, for the purchase of postage stamps for use in his office.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Whereas, Charles Burke paid to the City of Hoboken the sum of three hundred dollars as and for a license fee to conduct an inn and tavern and house of public entertainment at No. 157 First street, which said license was due April 23, 1908, but was only used to July 18, 1908, owing to the transformation of said premises into a picture show establishment for which a license was regularly obtained, and

Whereas, Said Charles Burke executed and delivered to Christian Feigenspan a power of attorney relating to said license, which said power of attornew was filed with the City Clerk according to law;

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars of the license fee aforesaid be and the same is hereby refunded, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant in favor of said Christian Fiegenspan for the said sum of two hundred and twehty-five dollars.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Whereas, Joseph Girone paid to the City of Hoboken the sum of three hundred dollars ($300), as and for license fee to conduct an inn and tavern and house of public entertainment at No. 601 Adams street, in said city, which said license was due January 2, 1909, and was to run for a period of one year; and

Whereas, After the granting of said license, and on the 19th day of April, 1909, the said Joseph Girone was dispossessed from said premises by the lanadlord thereof, and no inn or house of public entertainment has been conducted in said premises since the 19th day of April, 1909; and

Whereas, The said Joseph Girone executed and delivered to the Gottfried Krueger Brewing Company a power of attorney relating to said license, which said power of attorney was filed with the City Clerk according to law;

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225) of the license fee aforesaid be and the same is hereby refunded, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant in favor of said Gottfried Krueger Brewing Company for the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225).

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Whereas, William Bigley paid to the City of Hoboken the sum of three hundred dollars as and for a license fee to conduct an inn and tavern and house of public entertainment at No. 1400 Willow avenue, which said license was due April 1, 1908.

Whereas, By virtue of condemnation proceedings had through the courts at the instance of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Hudson, the premises wherein said William Bigley was licensed as aforesaid to conduct an inn and tavern and house of public entertainment, were thereafter condemned, and said William Bigley was required to remove therefrom on November 16, 1908.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and twelve dollars of the license fee so paid by said William Bigley be and the same is hereby refunded to said William Bigley, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant therefor in favor of said William Bigley.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Whereas, August Schroeder paid to the City of Hoboken the sum of three hundred dollars as and for license fee to conduct an inn and tavern and house of public entertainment at No. 716 First street, in said city, which said license was due March 14, 1909, and was to run for a period of one year; and

Whereas, The premises wherein the said August Schroeder was licensed as aforesaid to conduct an inn and tavern and house of public entertainment were thereafter condemned by virtue of legal proceedings had therefor, and said August Schroeder was required to vacate said premises July 1, 1909; and

Whereas, Said August Schroeder executed and delivered to the Excelsior Brewing Company a power of attorney relating to said license, which said power of attorney was filed with the City Clerk according to law;

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and twelve dollars of the license fee aforesaid be and the same is hereby refunded, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant in favor of said Excelsior Brewing Company for the sum of two hundred and twelve dollars.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Whereas, By resolution of the Common Council of the City of Hoboken, passed at a regular meeting held September 22, 1909, and duly approved by the Mayor, the sum of five thousand dolllars was appropriated to be used in the celebration of the Hudson-Fulton Tercentenary, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 259 of the Laws of 1909, of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act authorizing municipalities of this State to appropriate money to be expended in hte celebration of the Hudson-Fulton Tercentenary," approved April 21, 1909; and

Whereas, The sum of $4,895.10 of the moneys appropriated as aforesaid has been expended for electric decoration purposes and the like, as apppears more fully from the several bills presented to the Council therefor ,which said bills are annexed hereto.

Resolved, That the said expenditure be and the same is hereby ratified and the several bills therefor hereto annexed be and the same are hereby ordered paid, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warant in payment thereof to the respective claimants for the amount of their respective claims.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Declined to vote—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warant to his own order for the sum of $582.76, to pay city's share of expenses for the primary, registry and general election held for the year 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of $37 to the order of John Rotherham, County Clerk, to pay expenses incurred and allowed by Justice Swayze, in the matter of the recount of Michael A. Carrroll, of the votes cast in the Fourth District, First Ward.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Whereas, There is now due and owing to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company the sum of $7,744.17, for repairing streets of the City of Hoboken, as appears from an itemized bill submitted therefor to the Common Council, pursuant to a contract entered into between the said company and the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, and no specific fund being available at this time for the payment of said claim.

Resolved, That the aforesaid claim of $7,744.17 be and the same is hereby ordered to be paid to the said Barber Asphalt Paving Company, and the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to provide for the payment of the aforesaid claim by the procurement of a temporary loan of said amount of $7,744.17, pledging the faith, credit and property of the City of Hoboken for the payment thereof, with interest, and

to pay said moneys when so procured, to the said Barber Asphalt Paving Company, upon obtaining a proper receipt therefor, and that the amount of said temporary loan be included in the next general tax levy of the City of Hoboken.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for three hundred and thirty-two dollars and twenty-one cents ($332.21) in favor of Eugene Smith, on the improvement of bitulithic pavement on River street, between Fifth and Sixth, and north of Sixth street, between Hudson and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 10, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Reesolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for three hundred and sixty-two dollars and ninety-eight cents ($362.98) in favor of Eugene Smith, on the improvement of wood block pavement on Seventh street, between Adams and Jefferson streets, and around School No. 8, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 10, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for eight dollars and forty-two cents ($80.42) in favor of Eugene Smith, on the improvement of repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 10, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for fifty-five dollars and nineteen cents ($55.19) in favor of Eugene Smith, on the improvement of Adams street repaving, between Fifth and Sixth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 10, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren preesnted the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for seven thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars ($7,890.00) in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of bitulithic pavement on River street, between Fifth and Sixth streets and north of Sixth street and on Sixth street, between Hudson and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 10, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the ıollowing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely,, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrich and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrent for eight thousand six hundred and twenty dollars ($8,620.00) in favor of Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of wood block pavement on Seventh street, between Adams and Jefferson streets and around School No. 8, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 10, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for one hundred and twenty dollars ($120.00) in favor of Joseph H. Cummings on the improvement of specification block pavement on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 24, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley and Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for two thousand five hundred and seventy dollars ($2,570.00) in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, on the improvement of repaving of Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Survyor, presented October 27, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $5,644.58, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of November, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $5,644.58, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the last half month of November, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $4,807.65, to pay salaries, etc., of the Fire Department for the first half-month of December, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,807.65, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor, James Smith, Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Fire Department for the first half-month of December, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Buckley presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,550.24, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half-month of November, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,55024, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Police Department for the last half-month of November, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Buckley presented the following:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners for the sum of $6,500.00, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the first half-month of December, 1909, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,500.00, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Board of Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, &c., of the Police Department for the first half-month of December, 1909.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Free Public Library Trustees for the sum of $3,000, to pay current expenses of the Free Public Library, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $3,000, in favor of Ferdinand Kaegebehn, Treasurer of the Free Public Library Trustees, to pay current expenses of the Free Public Library.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Bahrenburg and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Schools, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of $25,000, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the School Fund for the sum of $25,000, in favor of James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of November, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund (subject to corrections), in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the first half month of December, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00

Michael Shields, salary as city gardener 30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper 37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper 37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper 37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named named city officers to pay salaries for the month of November, 1909:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician $83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney 150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue 125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue 100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall 75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor 116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks 100 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct..... 75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court..... 125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes 100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
W. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk.. 100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron 40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner 166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper 60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk 116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor.. 208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall 75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court. 75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk..... 125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes 100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder 208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner 125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector 125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper 60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician 83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector 100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer 125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys.... 41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court 26 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court..... 250 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley moved that when the Council adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, December 1, 1909, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board then adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED STATED SESSION.

Adjourned session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 1, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that John Solferino be granted an exempt fireman's certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

The following petition for license was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor license: Desimoni & Ruggerri.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	$66 40
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	41 89
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	110 45
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	56 25
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	60 95
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	46 20
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	14 80
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	171 60
Richard Bowes, clerk hire	70 50
Richard Bowes, delivering tax bills	90 18

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Richard Beyer, surveys, plans, specifications, etc., for the extension to Elysian Park	$254 00
A. C. Hansen, putting up stove, etc., in ambulance house	10 30
J. E. Kenna, repairing locks, etc., at City Hall	10 25
O. K. Electric Equipment Co., taking down fans, etc., in Council Chamber	6 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Eugene Smith, various surveys, etc.	$130 00
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished Street Department	18 00
H. Kortlang, lumber furnished Street Department	2 83
George W. Smith, veterinary services for Street Department	32 50
Pay roll, cleaning streets	235 75
Pay roll, repairing streets	24 00

To the Committee on Sewers:

Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	$90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers, etc.	19 50

To the Committee on Alms:

F. Lilienthal, groceries furnished the poor	$20 00
E. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor	18 00
Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor	39 00
C. F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	33 00
H. Schroeder, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
R. Amato, groceries furnished the poor	9 00

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $68.43, in favor of himself, for services of engineer on repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,625, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, was presented, read and referred to the Committe on Streets and Asssssments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $4,620, in favor of Joseph Murphy & Son, contractors on brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $144, in favor of George Clark, inspector on the brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Bond and agreement of Richard Lamb, contractor, relating to th erepaving with wood block pavement around City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Bond and agreement of Richard Lamb, contractor, relating to the repaving of wood block pavement on First street, from Garden to Marshall street, was presented, read and

referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Pasquale Orlando, as junk dealer.

James Squarcella, as junk dealer.

Maintenance bond of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company, for asphalt pavement on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Maintenance bond of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for wood block pavement around No. 8 School, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Maintenance bond of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for bitulithic pavement on River, Fifth and Sixth streets, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Requisition from the Board of Health, for the sum of $1,273.40, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of $3,476.26, to pay current expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

An ordinance fixing the salary of the City Clerk of Hoboken.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to establish and provide for an Assistant Corporation Attorney, and to define his duties," passed April 10, 1907.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved taht the ordinance pass its first reading as read:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

An ordinance fixing the salaries of the Board of Excise Commissioners, in and for the City of Hoboken, providing for the payment thereof, and fixing the amount of bond to be given by such Commisisoners, for the faithful performance of their duties.

Councilman Wren moved taht the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the appointment of park keepers, and a city gardener, and prescribing their duties.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its first reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance passits first reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom was referred the following applications for licenses, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case by the following vote:

For retail liquor licenses: Frank Luciano, James Chirchella, Sylvester Lusich.

For beer bottler's license: John Kissell & Son.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the licenses granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the applications of William Rees and John Solferino, for exempt firemen's certificates, reported in favor of granting the same.

On motion of Couniclamn Clark the erport was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the bonds and agreements of Richard Lamb, contractor, relating to the repaving with wood block pavement around City Hall; and First street, from Garden to Marsahll streets, reported in favor or adopting and approving the same.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Foley.

Abesnt—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Simth, City Surveyor, for the sum of $9,811.95 in favor of the Barber Asphalt Paving Company, for asphalt on Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $68.43, in favor of himself, for services as engineer on the repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,625, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the repaving of Jackson street, between Paterso navenue and First street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,910, in favor of Henry Weddington, contractor on the repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,160, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the repaving of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report wa sreceived.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,310, in favor of Henry Weddington, contractor on the repaving of Adams street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $144, in favor of George Clark, for services as inspector on the brick pavement in Castle Point Terrace, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The following report and resolution was presented by the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, notifying the Council that the contractor for the improvement of Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, had completed the same, respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same and find it completed in accordance with the specifications on file in the City Clerk's office, and offer the following:

Resolved, That the work and materials furnished by the Barber Asphalt Paving Company, on the improvement of Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, be and the same is hereby accepted by this Council.

THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY,
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following report and resolution was presented by the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, notifying the Council that the contractor for the improvement of Monroe street, between

Fourth and Fifth streets, and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, had completed the same, respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same and find it compited in accordance with the specifications on file in the City Clerk's office, and offer the following:

Resolved, That the work and materials furnished by Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on the improvement of Monroe street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and Fourth street, between Monroe and Jackson streets, be and the same is hereby accepted by this Council.

THOMAS J. WREN,
BERNARD McFEELY.
Committee.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the resolution adopted by by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of $100 in favor of John Mohr, for one year's rent of two lots known as Nos. 305 and 307 Jackson street.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the Collector of Revenue be and he is hereby directed to cancel the assessment for taxes now due for the year 1909 against property known as 305-307 Jackson street.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren and McFeely presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby driected to draw a warrant for $9,811.95 in favor of Barber Asphalt Paving Company, on the improvement of Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented October 13, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $68.43 in favor of Eugene Smith, Engineer, on the improvement of repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 1 ,1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $1,625 in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, on the improvement of repaving of Jackson street, between Paterson avenue and First street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 1, 1909, an dreported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $144 in favor of George Clark, inspector, on the improvement of brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 1, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $2,160 in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, on the improvement of specification block pavement on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 1, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, Taht the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $1,310 in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor, on the improvement of repaving of Adams street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented November 10, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $1,910 in favor of Henry Waddington ,contractor, on the improvement of repaving of Jefferson street, between Newark and First streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 1, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners, for the sum of $4,217.83, being the final payment for the laying of the 30-inch water main, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $4,217.83 in favor of the Board of Water Commissioners, being the final for the laying of the 30-inch water main.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Health for the sum of $1,273.40, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $1,273.40 in favor of John J. Rudolph, Treasurer of the Board of Health, to pay current expenses of the Board of Health.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Wren and Buckley presented the following:

Whereas, Owing to various street improvements, a large quantity of paving blocks, the property of the city, have been stored in the city store yard and more such are about to be stored, and the city having on particular use therefor at this time, and it being difficult to provide storage room therefor,

Resolved, That the aforesaid paving blocks be advertised in The Observer and Jersey Journal for sael to the highest bidder therefor either as a whole or in such lots as may be desired by any bidder therefor, and that the Mayor be authorized to execute and deliver a bill of sale therefor, and that the moneys derived from the sale thereof be paid over tothe City Treasurer and be placed in the Contingent Fund; and further,

Resolved, That bidders be required to state in their bid the price offered by them per thousand for said blocks; all bids to be presented to the Common Council at the meeting to be held December 8, 1909, at 4 p. m.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Bahrenburg.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 8, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held November 24, and the adjourned session held December 1, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

The following proposal for the purchase of paving blocks was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From Joseph Waddington:

I will contract to pay the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, accordong to the advertisement, for the following price or prices:

The sum of $2 per thousand.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that J. E. Kenna be granted an exempt fireman's certificate, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Communication from the Public Service Railway Company, of plans filed with the City Clerk, relative to improvements at lower ferry terminal and Hudson Place, was presented, read and ordered on file.

Consents from the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, the Trust Company of New Jersey and the Public Service Railway Company, relative to construction of elevated loop at Hudson Place, Hoboken, N. J., were presented, read and ordered on file.

The following petitions for licenses were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Andrew Serventi, Thomas A. Rooney, John D. Hiens, Adolf Popper, John Lindner, James Ronzo, Joe Wilkowski, Emil Berckmann.

For peddler's license: Eagle Specialty Company.

For junk dealers' licenses: Guiseppe Giordano, Pasquale Orlando, James Squarcella.

For second-hand dealer: Jacob Stern.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Timothy Shea, services rendered Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	$51 00
Philip E. Raque, testimony before the State Board of Equalization of Taxes	150 00
N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service	37 40
Nicholas Mueller, services rendered Commissioners of Assessment of Taxes	19 50
Sam Neifah, repairs to barber chair damaged at election	2 00
Mrs. J. Stubbs, damages on election day at polling place at 1003 Willow avenue	3 45

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished Parks	21 42
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	362 70
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Police Matron	5 58
S. Becker, window glass furnished at Armory	21 40
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	19 00
Bernard McGovern, repairing plumbing work, steam boiler, etc., at Second Precinct	35 20
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished City Hall and Police Headquarters	13 90
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	15 10
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	39 73
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	8 80

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	15 95
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Stable	24 00
John Murtha, repairs at city stable	95 00
Ralph Hoyt, 175 square feet of cross-bridging	96 25

To the Committee on Sewers:

Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	17 85
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	70 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	3 50
R. Waddington & Sons, building receiving basin at suothwest corner of Sixth and Bloomfield streets	66 50

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	27 65
The Observer, stationery furnished Assistant Corporation Attorney	52 00
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	64 25
The Observer, 75 copies of official canvass of election, 1909	90 00
The Observer, record boxes	63 00
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	32 50
The Observer, printing minutes of sessions of November 24 and December 1, 1909	372 50
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	57 75
The Observer, publishing notices and proposals	73 00
To the Committee on Alms:	
Wm. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	75 00
Fred. Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
August Katt, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	48 00
R. Tannebaum, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
C. Schuemann, shoes furnished the poor	1 50
S. Zorn, meals furnished the poor	6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	31 25

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Giuseppe Giordano, as junk dealer.

Joseph S. Weinthal, as Excise Commissioner.

The following bond and agreement, relating to laying asphalt pavement in Seventh street, between Garden street and Park avenue; Fifth street, between Bloomfield and Garden streets, and Third street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,180, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, for wood block pavement around No. 7 School, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $314.70, in favor of Eugene Smith, for services as engineer for paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $4,428, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor for paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Swers.

The following requisitions for supplies for the year 1910 were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

From William A. Barrett, janitor of City Hall; Thomas J. McAleer, City Prison Keeper, and Patrick Byrnes, janitor of Second Precinct.

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

From Street Commissioner Griffin.

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

From the Commissioner sof Assessment of Taxes, Building Inspector, and Clerk of District Court.

Requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of $476.26, to pay currrent expenses of said Board, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requiistion from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of $3,000, to pay for the recreation centre building on Jefferson street playground, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

The following report of Richard Bowes, Collector of Revenue, was presented, read and ordered on file:

Office Collector of Revenue,
Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 3, 1909.

To the Honorable Mayor and Council:

Gentlemen—I beg leave to present to your Honorable Body the following report of the receipts and disbursements of this office for the quarter year commencing 12 m. July 31, 1909, and ending 12 m. October 30, 1909.

RECEIPTS.

Arrrears of taxes:		
Arrears of taxes of 1906, principal and interest	$214 26	
Arrears of taxes of 1907, principal and interest	6,665 85	
Arrears of taxes of 1908, principal and interest	18,600 20	
		$25,480 31
Assessments:		
Madison street paving, etc., between Fifth and Eighth streets, principal and interest		143 07

$25,623 38

RECAPITULATION.

Total arrears of eaxes	$25,480 31	
Total assessments ...	143 07	
		$25,623 38
Paid City Treasurer James Smith		25,623 38

Respectfully submitted,
RICHARD BOWES,
Collector of Revenue.

An ordinance granting permission to Public Service Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate the terminal and elevated tracks in Hudson Place, in the City of Hoboken, according to plans heretofore filed with the Building Inspector, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held November 24, 1909.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance fixing the salary of the City Clerk of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to establish and provide for an Assistant Corporation Attorney and to define his duties," passed April 10, 1907, which was presented, read and passed its first reading at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance providing for the appointment of Park Keepers, Assistant Park Keepers, and a City Gardener, and prescribing their duties, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance fixing the salaries of the Board of Excise Commissioners in and for the City of Hoboken, providing for the payment thereof, and fixing the amount of bond to be given by such Commissioners for the faithful performances of their duties, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance granting permission to Public Service Railway Company to construct, maintain and operate the terminal and elevated tracks in Hudson Place, in the City of Hoboken, according to plans heretofore filed with the Building Inspector, which was presented, read and passed its first reading ar read at a stated session of the Council held November 24, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance fixing the salary of the City Clerk of Hoboken, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to establish and provide for an Assistant Corporation Attorney and to define his duties," passed April 10, 1907, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and fiual reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance providing for the appointment of Park Keepers, Assistant Park Keepers and a City Gardener, and prescribing their duties, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Wren moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Wren then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

An ordinance fixing the salaries of the Board of Excise Commissioners in and for the City of Hoboken, providing for the payment thereof and fixing the amount of bond to be given by such Commissioners for the faithful performance of their duties, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at an adjourned session of the Council held December 1, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For retail liquor licenses: Andrew Serventi, Thomas A. Rooney, John D. Hiens, Adolf Popper, John Lindner, James Ronzo, Joe Wilkowski, Emil Berckmann.

For peddler's license: Eagle Specialty Company.

For junk dealers' licenses: Guiesppe Giordano, Pasquale Orlando, James Squarcella.

For second-hand dealer: Jacob Stern.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the licenses granted in each case by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Timothy Shea, services rendered Commissioners of Assessments of Taxes	$51 00
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	15 95
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Stable	24 00
John Murtha, repairs at city stable	95 00
Ralph Hoyt, 175 square feet of cross-bridging	96 25
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	17 85
Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers	70 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished Sewer Department	3 50
R. Waddington & Sons, building receiving basin at suothwest corner of Sixth and Bloomfield streets	66 50
Wm. Wieboldt, groceries furnished the poor	27 00
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	75 00
Fred. Bezer, groceries furnished the poor	42 00
August Katt, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
E. Londrigan, groceries furnished the poor	48 00
R. Tannebaum, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
C. Schuemann, shoes furnished the poor	1 50
S. Zorn, meals furnished the poor	6 00
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished the poor	31 25
Thos. M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished parks	12 27
Thos. M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Armory	11 04
Anthony Arone, metal ceiling in hallway at Armory	25 00
W. D. Bindewald, supplies furnished Street Department	18 00
W. D. Bindewald, repairing hose	19 00
W. D. Bindewald, one barrel of disinfectant	65 00
Richard Bowes, delivering tax bills	90 18
Richard Bowes, clerk hire	70 50
Richard Beyer, surveys, plans, etc., for extension to Elysian Park	254 00
Samuel Becker, glass furnished ambulance house	8 90
Thomas Bowes, plumbing work at Police Headquarters and Armory	55 80
Michael M. Gatschnik, photographs of Hudson and Ferry streets	25 00
A. C. Hansen, putting up stove, etc., in ambulance house	10 30
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electrical repairs	3 50
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electrical repairs at Police Headquarters	7 00
J. E. Kenna, repairing locks, etc., at City Hall	10 25
John F. Leddy, plumbing work at Church Square Park	93 00
John F. Leddy, plumbong work at Hudson Square Park	98 00
John F. Leddy, plumbong work at Eleventh Street Park	56 00
John F. Leddy, plumbong work at Elysian Park	58 00
Lawson & MacMurray, lumber furnished parks	8 00
James Murray, sprinkling streets around City Hall	10 00
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at Police Headquarters	3 00
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at ambulance house	7 10
James A. Marnell, repairing steam pipes at City Hall	8 20
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at City Hall	6 10
Bernard McGovern, putting in drinking fountain at Elysian Park	93 70
Bernard McGovern, putting in water pipes, etc., at Elysian Park	95 08
Bernard McGovern, repairing water pipes, etc., at Elysian Park	31 54
O. K. Electric Equipment Co., repairs at Hudson Square Park	3 00
O. K. Electric Equipment Co., taking down fans, etc., in Council Chamber	6 00
Wm. Phillips, removing awnings at Second Precinct	8 50
Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for November, 1908	337 55
Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for December, 1908	376 00
Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for January, 1909	366 36
Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for February, 1909	341 48
Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for March, 1909	290 96
Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings from March 17 to April 17, 1909	278 05
Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for May, 1909	254 92

Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for June, 1909 ..... 237 40

Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for July, 1909 ..... 225 42

Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for August, 1909..... 219 38

Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for September, 1909..... 239 67

Public Service Corporation, electric currernt supplied public buildings for October, 1909 ..... 298 70

Public Service Corporation, gas consumed in public buildings for December, 1908 ..... 57 40

Public Service Corporation, electric currrent supplied for fans in Recorder's Court 24 00

Public Service Corporation, one dozen lamps 1 80

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to Collector of Revenue from January 1, 1908, to January 1, 1909..... 14 80

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to Recorder's Court from January 1, 1908, to June 1, 1909 .... 171 60

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to Overseer of the Poor from September 7, 1906, to September 30, 1909..... 66 40

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to City Treasurer from April 2, 1908, to July 1, 1909 .... 41 89

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to Corporation Attorney from January 1, 1908, to June 1, 1909 ..... 110 45

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to District Court, from January 1, 1908, to June 1, 1909 .... 56 25

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to Building Inspector from January 1, 1908 to June 1, 1909 .... 60 95

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service to City Clerk and Mayor from January 1, 1908, to June 1, 1909 ..... 46 20

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for June, 1909..... 51 50

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for July, 1909..... 37 90

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for August, 1909.... 40 65

N. Y. & N. J. Telephone Co., telephone service for September, 1909.. 39 13

George W. Smith, veterinary services for Street Department 32 50

Pay roll, repairing streets..... 24 00

Pay roll, cleaning streets..... 235 75

H. Kortlang, lumber furnished Street Department 2 83

H. Schraeder, groceries furnished the poor 27 00

C. F. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor 33 00

Bargfrede Bros., groceries furnished the poor 39 00

E. Bauer, groceries furnished the poor 18 00

F. Lilienthal, groceries furnished the poor 20 00

R. Amato, groceries furnished the poor 9 00

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred the following claims, reported the same correct:

W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of sweeping powder 16 00

W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of sweeping powder 16 00

W. D. Bindewald, two barrels of sweeping powder 16 00

Columbian Insecticide Co., three barrels of absorbent dust..... 24 00

Columbian Insecticide Co., three barrels of absorbent dust..... 24 00

Columbian Insecticide Co., two barrels of absorbent dust and insecticide 91 00

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Friedrichs.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the bond and agreement relating to laying asphalt pavement in Seventh street, between Garden street and Park avenue; Fifth street, betwen Bloomfild and Garden streets, and Third street, between Washington and River streets, reported in favor of adopting and approving the said bond and agreement.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that J. E. Kenna be granted an exempt fireman's certificaet, reported in favor of granting the same.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $314.70, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer for paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $4,424, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor for paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Clark the report was received.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant in favor of the Board of Water Commissioners, in the sum of $2,000, being the appropriation made by the Board of Tax Commissioners for the year 1909-1910.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Whereas, It is to the convenience of the general public that the payment of taxes be postponed; therefore

Resolved, That the Collector of Revenue of the City of Hoboken be and he is hereby directed not to impose or collect any penalty upon taxes paid on or before the twentieth (20) day of January, 1910, and thereafter the penalty for non-paymnt of such taxes shall be at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, in favor of Saint Mary's Hospital, being for extra services in care of outdoor poor, said amount to be paid out of the Poor Fund.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Bahrenburg.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of $3,000, to pay for the recreation centre building on Jefferson street playground, report the same correct; and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on their bond fund for the sum of $3,000, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commissioners, to pay for the recreation centre building on Jefferson street playground.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Playground Commissioners, for the sum of $476.26, to pay current expenses of the said Board, report the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Contingent Fund for the sum of $476.26, in favor of Mrs. C. B. Alexander, Treasurer of the Board of Playground Commissioners, to pay current expenses of the Board of Playground Commissioners.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for $4,424, in favor of Thomas Cavanagh, contractor on the improvement of paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 8, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for $314.70, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 8, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented the following:

Whereas, Bids for a contract for the removal of ashes and garbage from the streets of the City of Hoboken for the term of one year from September 25, 1909, to September 25, 1910, were duly advertised, and

Whereas, Proposals were submitted to the Mayor and Council pursuant to said advertisement, viz.: That of James Padavano, for the sum of thirteen thousand seven hundred and forty-five dollars, and that of Peter A. Peluso, for the sum of twlve thousand nine hundred and ninety-five dollars; and

Whereas, After due consideration of said proposals the bid of Peter A. Peluso was deemed to be the most advantageous to the city, he being the lowest responsible bidder; and

Whereas, There was appropriated by the Tax Commissioners for the said work the sum of ninety-five hundred dollars, being three thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars less than the amount required for said work; therefore be it

Resolved, That pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the contract for the removal of ashes and garbage from the streets of the City of Hoboken for the aforesand term of one year from September 25, 1909, be and the same is hereby awarded to said Peter A. Peluso at his aforesaid bid or price of twelve thousand nine hundred and ninety-five dollars, and be it further

Resolved, That for the purpose of meeting the difference between the amount of the aforesaid appropriation and said lowest proposal or bid, that the City Treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to provide for the payment of the aforesaid difference of three thousand four hundred and ninety-five dollars by the procurement of a temporary loan for said amount, pledging the faith, credit and property of the City of Hoboken for the payment thereof, with interest, and that the amount of said temporary loan be included in the next general tax levy of the City of Hoboken.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg and Foley.

Absent—Councilman Gonzales.

Councilman Buckley moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, December 15, 1909, at 4 p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED SESSION.

Adjourned session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 15, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

Communication from the Association of Exempt Firemen, requesting that exempt certificates be granted to Edward F. Kivlon, Robert Kiesewetter and William H. Mutschelr was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

The following applications for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: Albert Schammel, Carl Konig, David Gross, Augustus F. Gerken, Louis Behrmann, John F. McGrath, Crosetti Bros., Louis Garibaldi.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Conrad Boll, John G. Wisloh.

For second-hand dealer: Joseph Wolpin.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

John J. Fallon, incidental expenses from July 20 to December 7, 1909..	$222 06

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

George La Pointe, mason work at City Hall	9 60
H. J. Meyer, supplies furnished at Second Precinct	10,00
Antonio Monaco, six galvanized ash cans, etc.	22 50
Germoline Co., one barrel disinfectant	62 00
James A. Marnell, plumbing work at ambulance house	86 17
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Second Precinct	65
J. Aronson, glass furnished Seocnd Precinct	4 00
J. E. Kenna, electrical work at ambulance house	59 75
George Pinner, glazing at Armory...	12 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Barber Asphalt Paving Co., repairing asphalt paving	704 14
Pay roll, cleaning streets	288 75
Pay roll, repairing streets	36 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	343 75
Pay roll, repairing streets	36 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	28 40

To the Committee on Sewers:

A. J. Greenberg, boots furnished Sewer Department	6 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	27 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	21 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins..	90 00

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, publishing notice to election officers	25 20
The Observer, publishing notice, collection of taxes	82 00
The Observer, supplies furnished city offices	83 25
The Observer, supplies furnished city offices	45 25
The Observer, supplies furnished city offices	88 00
T. F. Callahan, lithographiing fire bonds	15 00

To the Committee on Alms:

William Kamlah, medical supplies...	47 05
John Schmalz & Sons, bread furnished the poor	10 00
J. Knobloch, care of homeless	5 00
A. J. Greenberg, shoes furnished the poor	2 50
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
H. J. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	43 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
H. F. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
St. Mary's Hospital, board and medical treatment of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases	1,754 00

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and received:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 15, 1909.

To the Council:

I return to you herewith for your further consideration the claims of Alexander T. McCabe and Chris. Otten, for moneys allaged to be due to them for services performed and materials therefor provided, relative to the Hudson-Fulton Ter-Centenary Celebration. The bill sof the aforesaid parties are for $1,600 each, but are not itemized. I am informed by Mr. McCabe that his bill is for furnishing to the city an electric light display

at Hudson Square Park, and I am informed by Mr. Otten that his bill is for an electric light display on the City Hall, during the aforesaid celebration. From a personal investigation which I have made with respect to the aforesaid bills, I consider that they are most unreasonable. Many of our citizens, as well as the Boar dof Trade, regard said claims as excessive. I have informed Mr. McCabe and Mr. Otten of my views about this matter, and they have informed me that they will submit to your Honorable Body substitute and itemized bills for a reduced amount, in lieu of the bills herein mentioned.

I would recommend, therefore, that the action of your Honorable Body in passing the within claims be reconsidered.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the vote by which the claims of Alexander T. McCabe and the O. K. Electric Equipment Company were ordered paid and warrants drawn therefor to the amount of $1,600 each, be and the same is hereby reconsidered.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Declining to vote—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Clark presented the following:

Resolved, That the claims of Alexander T. McCabe and the O. K. Electric Equipment Company, for the sum of $900, as per bills submitted by them and annexed hereto, be and the same are hereby ordered paid, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants therefor.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Steil was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney, and entered in full in the minutes:

Mayor's Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 15, 1909.

To the Council:

Mr. Frank Cordts, President of the Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company has submitted to me a copy of a letter from United Electric Company of New Jersey to Emil Groth, Esq., Chairman of the Common Council of the Town of Union, N. J., bearing date September 26, 1904, which, in view of the recent controversy respecting the lighting of the streets and public places of our city, will doubtless be of much interest to our citizens. I annex said copy of letter hereto. You will note therefrom that so far back as 1904 the aforesaid company (Public Service Corporation) was supplying electric light to the Town of Union for $85 per arc lamp, and in addition thereto agreed to maintain, provide and keep in repair the electric fire alarm system of said municipality without cost.

Why, in the face of these facts, the Public Service Corporation exacted from the City of Hoboken the payment of $100 per arc lamp for the past five years is a matter for the Council to consider in awarding a contract for the future public lighting of our city.

Respectfully,
GEORGE H. STEIL,
Mayor.

Public Service Corporation of New Jersey.
Jersey City, N. J., Sept, 26, 1904.

Emil Groth, Esq., Chairman Common Council,
Town of Union, N. J.:

Dear Sir—The United Electric Company has carefully considered your objections to its bid for lighting the streets and public buildings in your town. For a five-year contract, under the specifications on file with your Town Clerk, we requested the payment of $100 per lamp per year, and for incandescent lighting at ten cents per kilowatt hour net.

We recognize the fact that the Town of Union is quite compact, and that the care of the public lights is not expensive, as in the adjoining municipalities. We therefore offer to allow a reduction of 15 per cent upon the monthly payments for streets and incandescent lighting furnished to the town at the rates aforesaid, upon a five-year contract, provided payments are made on or before the 15th day of each month for the bill rendered for the previous month. We will also maintain, provide and keep in repair the electric fire alarm system of the town, without cost, as provided in the specifications.

Very truly yours,
United Electric Co. of New Jersey,
EDWARD HINE,
Ass't to the President.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $6,170, in favor of Joseph Murphy & Co. for brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets ond Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $447.44, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer for brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and As-

sessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $36, in favor of George Clark, inspector on brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

The following bond was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Daniel Wallace, as Water Commissioner.

Requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners, for the sum of $8,617.88, to pay expenses of the laying of the water mains in Fifteenth and Madison streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Salaries.

Requisitions from the Superintendent of Parks, Collector of Revenue and Overseer of the Poor for supplies for the year 1910, were presented, read and referred to the various Committees.

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Recorder McGovern on the collection of fines for the month of November, 1909, was presented, read and ordered on file.

The following report of the Board of Water Commissioners was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water:

Water Commissioners' Office,
Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 13, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—At a stated session of the Board of Water Commissioners, held on the above date, I was directed to inform your Honorable Body that all the requirements of the National Board of Fire Underwriters have now been complied with in the laying and extensions of new water mains and hydrants throughout the city, to the end that your Honorable Body may now communicate said facts to the said National Board of Fire Underwriters with a view of securing the ten per cent reduction on fire insurance rates throughout the city, which said reduction the said National Board of Fire Underwriters agreed to make upon the city complying with its aforesaid requests, which have been fulfilled.

Hereunto attached please find the communication from the New York Fire Insurance Exchange, sent to us relative to the matter.

Yours truly,
GUSTAV BACH,
Water Registrar.

An ordinance for the repavement of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, River street, from Fifth to Sixth street, and Sixth street, from Hudson to River streets, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held August 25, 1909.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly city line; Hudson street, from Newark street to a point south of Hudson Place; Newark street, from Washington to River streets; Jefferson street, from Ferry to First streets; Jackson street, from Paterson avenue to First street; Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth streets; Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Seventh street, from Clinton street to Willow avenue; Willow avenue, from Ferry to Third streets; Monroe street, from Fourth to Fifth streets; Fourth street, from Monroe to Jackson streets; Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets; Fifth street, between Bloomfield and Garden streets; Seventh street, between Park avenu and Garden streets, and Third street, between Washington and River streets, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held August 25, 1909.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang anu Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Newark street, from Park avenue to Willow avenue; in front of School No. 7 on Park avenue; First street, from Garden to Marshall streets; Washington street, from Newark to First streets; Bloomfield street, from Newark to First streets; Newark street, from Washington to Bloomfield streets; First street,

from Washington to Bloomfield streets, around City Hall; Adams street in front of School No. 3; Jefferson street, in front of School No. 8; Seventh street, between Adams and Jefferson streets, around School No. 8, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held August 25, 1909.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its second reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its second reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Castle Point Terrace, from Eighth to Tenth streets, River street, from Fifth to Sixth streets, and Sixth street, from Hudson to River streets, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held August 25, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Hudson Place, from Hudson street to the easterly city line; Hudson street, from Newark street to a point south of Hudson Place; Newark street, from Washington to River streets; Jefferson street, from Ferry to First streets; Jackson street, from Paterson avenue to First street; Adams street, from Fifth to Sixth streets; Willow avenue, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Clinton street, from Sixth to Seventh streets; Seventh street, from Clinton street to Willow avenue; Willow avenue, from Ferry to Third streets; Monroe street, from Fourth to Fifth streets; Fourth street, from Monroe to Jackson streets; Park avenue, between Seventh and Eleventh streets; Fifth street, between Bloomfield and Garden streets; Seventh street, between Park avenue and Garden streets, and Third street, between Washington and River streets, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held August 25, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

An ordinance providing for the repavement of Newark street, from Park avenue to Willow avenue; in front of School No. 7 on Park avenue; First street, from Garden to Marshall streets; Washington street, from Newark to First streets; Bloomfield street, from Newark to First streets; Newark street, from Washington to Bloomfield streets; First street, from Washington to Bloomfield streets, around City Hall; Adams street, in front of School No. 3; Jefferson street, in front of School No. 8; Seventh street, between Adams and Jefferson streets, around School No. 8, which was presented, read and passed its first reading as read at a stated session of the Council held August 25, 1909, and which was taken up and passed its second reading as read at this session.

Councilman Buckley moved that the ordinance be taken up for its third and final reading and read.

Adopted.

Councilman Buckley then moved that the ordinance pass its third and final reading as read.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For retail liquor licenses: Albert Schammel, Carl Konig, David Gross, Augustus F. Gerken, Louis Behrmann, John F. McGrath, Crosetti Bros., Louis Garibaldi.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Conrad Boll, John G. Wisloh.

For second-hand dealer: Joseph Wolpin.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the licenses and transfers granted in each case by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

John J. Fallon, incidental expenses from July 20 to December 7, 1909.	$222 06
George La Pointe, mason work at City Hall	9 60
Pay roll, cleaning streets	288 75
Pay roll, repairing streets	36 00
Pay roll, cleaning streets	343 75
Pay roll, repairing streets	36 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	28 40
A. J. Greenberg, boots furnished Sewer Department	6 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	27 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
Pay roll, repairing sewers	21 00
Pay roll, cleaning receiving basins	90 00
The Observer, publishing notice to election officers	25 20
The Observer, publishing notice, collection of taxes	82 00
The Observer, supplies furnished city offices	83 25
The Observer, supplies furnished city offices	45 25
The Observer, supplies furnished city offices	88 00
T. F. Callahan, lithographiing fire bonds	15 00
William Kamlah, medical supplies	47 05
John Schmalz & Sons, bread furnished the poor	10 00
J. Knobloch, care of homeless	5 00
A. J. Greenberg, shoes furnished the poor	2 50
F. & L. Nuzzo, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
G. Cordes, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
N. H. Peters, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
H. J. Meyer, groceries furnished the poor	43 00
Mrs. M. Callaghan, groceries furnished the poor	6 00
H. F. Speckmann, groceries furnished the poor	15 00
St. Mary's Hospital, board and medical treatment of sick, indigent poor and emergency cases	1,754 00
Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing repavement bonds	137 50
Wilbert Garrison Co., lithographing water bonds	90 00
The Inquirer, publishing ordinances	340 80
The Inquirer, publishing resolution to redistrict election districts	74 10
The Inquirer, publishing electric light hearing	92 40
The Inquirer, publishing proposals	26 00
The Inquirer, publishing proposals of asphalt pavement	14 30
Sam Neifah, repairs to barber chair damaged at election	2 00
The Observer, publishing notice and proposal	73 00
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	57 75
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	32 50
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	64 25
The Observer, stationery furnished Assistant Corporation Attorney	52 00
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	27 65
The Observer, printing minutes of November 24 and December 1, 1909	372 50
The Observer, furnishing 75 copies of official canvass of election of 1909	90 00
The Observer, record boxes	63 00
Mrs. J. Stubbs, damages done at election at 1003 Willow avenue	3 45

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom were referred the following bonds, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same:

Daniel Wallace, as Water Commissioner.

Joseph S. Weinthal, as Excise Commissioner.

Joseph W. Obreiter, as City Surveyor.

Francis A. Stanton, as City Surveyor.

John J. McGreevy, as Constable.

John Naporano, as junk dealer.

Gaetano Greschino, as junk dealer.

Giuseppe Zenerelli, as junk dealer.

Amedio Guzzi, as junk dealer.

Sam De Turo, as junk dealer.
Sam De Turo, as junk dealer.
Ernst Lehmann, as junk dealer.
Louis Engler, as junk dealer.
Gaetano Migliani, as junk dealer.
Carmine Laino, as junk dealer.
Guiseppi Giordano, as junk dealer.
Antonio Gardano, as junk dealer.
James Squarcella, as junk dealer.
Pasquale Orlando, as junk dealer.
Alfonso Sperone, as junk dealer.
Antonio Policastro, as junk dealer.
Emil Le Fevre, as expressman.
Salvatore Attanasio, as expressman.
Wm. Kater, as expressman.
Joseph Monto, as expressman.
N. J. Transfer Co., as expressman.
Charles Hansen, as expressman.
Richard S. Daly, a sexpressman.
S. T. Fairbanks, as auctioneer.
Henry Cordts, as auctioneer.
Morris Appel, as auctioneer.
Charles A. Tissot, as auctioneer.
Daniel Cohn, as pawn broker.
David Mayer, as pawn broker.
Andrew L. Findlay, as pawn broker.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom were referred the exempt firemen's certificates of Edward F. Kivlon, Robert Kiesewetter and William H. Mutschler, reported in favor of granting the same.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $4,620, in favor of Joseph Murphy & Son, for brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $6,170, in favor of Joseph Murphy & Son, for brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $447.44, in favor of Eugene Smith, as engineer on the brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the ceitificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $36, in favor of George Clark, as inspector on the brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is directed to draw a warrant for $6,170, in favor of Joseph Murphy & Son, on the improvement of brick pavebent on Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 15, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is directed to draw a warrant for $4,620, in favor of Joseph Murphy & Son, on the improvement of brick pavebent on Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 1, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $447.44, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 15, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $36, in favor of George Clark, inspector on the improvement of brick pavement on Castle Point Terrace, between Eighth and Tenth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 15, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Whereas, Henry Vatcky hereofore entered into contract with the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken for the removal of dead animals; and

Whereas, Said Henry Vatcky has sold his business to Louis Stern and assigned to said Louis Stern therewith all of his right ,title and interest in and to the aforesaid contract, and has made application to the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken for permission to assign his aforesaid contract to the said Louis Stern;

Resolved, That permissioi be and is hereby granted to said Henry Vatcky to assign his aforesaid contract to said Louis Stern and that said Louis Stern be and he is hereby substituted as contractor for the removal of dead animals for the period prescribed in the aforesaid contract of Henry Vatcky, upon said Louis Stern entering into and filing with the City Clerk a bond for the faithful performance of said contract.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

STATED SESSION.

Stated session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 22, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the reading of the minutes of the stated session of the Council held December 8, and the adjourned session held December 15, 1909, was dispensed with and they were approved as printed.

Rule and affidavit on certiorari from the New Jersey Supreme Court, Lawrence Fagan, prosecutor, vs. The Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, the Republican Printing and Publishing Company, The Inquirer, defendants, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney.

Communication from A. A. Melniker, attorney for Eberling Bros., relative to the removal of dead animals without cost to the city, was presented, read and referred to the Corporation Attorney, and the Clerk be directed to refuse to accept the bond of Louis Stern.

Communication from the Board of Chosen Freeholders, enclosing a copy of resolution relative to the raising of the grade at Wilow avenue, to conenct with the approach to the new Fourteenth street viaduct, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Strets and Assessments in conjunction with the Corporation Attorney.

The following applications for licenses and transfers were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Licenses:

For retail liquor licenses: John Jacobs, Victor Johnson, John Heinrichs, Nick Crisinich, William Argenziano, C. J. Tahen, Chas. Von Broock, John Amato, Henry Schrader, C. Van Wyk, Henry Maass, Nickolas E. Reuter, George A. Reich, Desimoni & Ruggeirri.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Nickolas E. Reuter, Edward Gottwald, Henry Muller.

For peddler's licenses: C. Tellegrades, Sun Quong Lung Co.

For truck license: Matteo Giordano.

The following claims were presented, read and referred:

To the Committee on Finance and Salaries:

Joseph Girone & Bro., balance due on fireworks for Hudson-Fulton celebration	$9 90
Horace L. Allen, disbursements for examination of titles	100 00

To the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Daniel Wallace, repairs at Armory	13 00
Wm. A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electrical work at Police Headquarters	25 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furinshed City Hall	2 10
James A. Marnell, putting in gas fixture at ambulance house	6 00

To the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	4 00
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	5 50
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	29 50
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	45 60
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	58 00
Wm. Kochendorfer, cylinder brooms refilled	39 00

To the Committee on Sewers:

Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department	90
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 25

To the Committee on Printing and Stationery:

The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	88 75
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	6 30
The Observer, stationery furinshed Corporation Attorney	56 50
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	50 10
The Observer, printing minutes of December 8 and December 15, 1909	222 00
The Democrat, publishing notices	24 00

To the Committee on Police and Militia:

Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	55 95
Wm. A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children	8 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	8 10

To the Committee on Alms:

Ivins D. Applegate, burial of poor	29 25
Fred. Luis, groceries furnished the poor	29 00

F. Siegel, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Peter N. Koch, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	20 00
J. Noonan, groceries furnished the poor	5 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
George Hoffmann, medicine furnished the poor	52 90
E. Walden, care of homeless	2 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless	5 00
W. Jeffords, transportation of poor	1 35
Joseph Kostelecky, repairing ambulance	17 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor, police cases, etc.	1,726 00

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,540, in favor of Henry Waddington, as contractor for specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $197.77, in favor of Eugene Smith, as engineer for specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $69, in favor of Joseph H. Cummings, as inspector for specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $950, in favor of Henry Waddington, as contractor for specification block on Hudson Place and Hudson street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $47.26, in favor of Eugene Smith, as engineer for specification block on Hudson Place and Hudson street, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $45, in favor of Thomas Kehoe, as inspector for asphalt on Fifth street, between Bloomfield and Garden street, and other streets, was presented, read and refrred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $53.84, in favor of Eugene Smith, as engineer for asphalt on Fifth street and other streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,078, in favor of the Borber Asphalt Paving Company, as contractors for asphalt on Fifth street and other streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $39, in favor of Edward Moran, as inspector for wood block around City Hall, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $57.20, in favor of Henry Waddington, as contractor for ten receiving basins, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

Final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $144, in favor of Patrick Londrigan, as inspector for paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Sewers.

The following bonds was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments:

Peter A. Peluso, for the removal of ashes and garbage, etc.

The following bonds were presented, read and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Thomas F. Devlin, as Excise Commissioner.

Herman M. Wendt, as Excise Commissioner.

Andrew Serventi, as Excise Commissioner.

Joseph Fullam, as Constable.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,431.67, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of December, 1909, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,500, to pay salaries of the Police Department for the first half month of January, 1910, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Police and Militia.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $2,768.99, to pay cleams of the Fire Department for the month of December, 1909, was presented, read and referred to th Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,029.92, to pay

salaries of the Fire Department for the last half month of December, 1909, was presented, read and referred to th Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,678.49, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the first half of month of January, 1910, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water.

Requisition from the City Clerk, for supplies for the year 1910, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Printing and Stationery.

Requisition from James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of $37,000, to pay current expeness of the Board of Education, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

The following report from Assistant Corporation Attorney Allen was presented, read and on motion of Councilman Buckley entered in full on the minutes:

Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 22, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—To inform your Honorable Body of the amount and nature of legal work done during the period from January 1, 1909, to the present date, I beg to submit the following report, showing the character of the matters on which I, as Assistant Corporation Attorney, have been engaged.

January 11, 18909.—Preparing brief in certiorira suit, Domenick Livelli against the Commissioners of Assessments and Taxes, the constitutionality of the statute under which the Board of Assessors were appointed being one of the questions involved.

January 12.—Preparing brief in certiorari suit, Domenick Livelli, prosecutor.

January 18.—Preparing brief in rectiorari suit, Domenick Livelli, prosecutor.

January 14—Preparing rules governing proceedings of Council, resolution fixing seats of members, and resolution appointing Chairman. Attended meeting of Council. Preparing brief in certiorari suit, Domenick Livelli, prosecutor.

January 15.—Preparing brief in certiorari suit, Domenick Livelli, prosecutor.

January 16.—Preparing brief in certiorari suit, Domenick Livelli, prosecutor. Consultation given Overseer of Poor in matters of his department.

January 18.—Preparing brief in certiorari suit; Domenick Livelli, prosecutor.

January 19.—Preparfing brief in certiorari spit, Domeuick Livelli, prosecutor.

January 20.—Searching title of Hamburg-American Line property, preparing subpoenas and notices to produce in the matter of proceedings before State Board of Equalization of Taxes, on assessment against that company.

January 21.—Preparing Livelli case.

January 22.—Before State Board of Equalization of Taxes, Hamburg-American Line case.

January 25.—Consultation with Mayor, prepared communication.

January 26.—Attended meeting Board of Health.

January 27.—Attended meeting of Council.

January 28.—Work on Livelli case.

January 29.—Engaged on Livelli case.

January 30.—Engaged on Livelli case.

February 1.—Consultation with Mayor and Messrs. Campbell and Whittemore, relative to ordinances granting rights to North eGrman Lloyd Steamship Company and the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company.

February 2.—Consultation with Mayor, City Clerk and City Treasurer in re contracts with North German Lloyd Steamship Company and Hoboken Land and Improvement Company.

February 3.—Engaged in Livelli case, typewriting brief and delivering brief to printer.

February 4.—Attended meeting Board of Health; prepared resolutions for Board of Health.

February 5—Read and compared proof from printer; brief in Livelli case.

February 8.—Enfiaged at Trenton on Livelli case.

February 9.—Conference with City Law Department of Jersey City relative to inland bath, examination of law relative thereto.

February 11.—Prepared complaints in cases of city vs. Kahn Bros., city vs. John Podesta, city vs. David Beck, city vs, Jacob Beck, and city vs. A. Podesta Sons (violation of city ordinance).

February 10.—Attended meeting of Council, prepared communication for Mayor relative to Lincoln's Birthday, prepared report for City Clerk as to execution of agreements of North German Lloyd Steamship Company and Hoboken Land and Improvement Company.

February 15.—Attended meeting Board of Assessment Commissioners.

February 16.—Attended Supreme Court at Trenton in case of Livelli vs. Board of Assessors.

February 27.—Appeared before Supreme Court at Trenton, argued Livelli case.

February 18.—Conference with President Board of Assessors.

February 23—Appeared in Recorder's Court case of Board of Health vs. Palizanno, attended meeting of Board of Health.

February 24.—Attended meeting Board of Council.

February 25.—Appeared before Supreme Court at Trenton in the certiorari suit of the D. L. & W. R. R. Co. vs. city.

March 2.—Appeared in Recorder's Court in case Board of Health vs. Palizanno.

March 3.—Appeared in Recorder's Court, case of Overseer of the Poor vs. Joseph Romano (non-support).

March 4.—Appeared in Recorder's Court, case of Mayor and Council vs. Jacob Uuger (violation city ordinance).

March 10.—Prepared case, Overseer of Poor vs. Arthur C. Hamilton, on apepal in Hudson County Court of Sessions (bastardy proceedings, conviction having been heretofore obtained by me in Recorder's Court), prepared subpoenas.

March 11.—Appeared in Court of Sessions, Overseer of Poor vs. Hamilton.

March 15.—Prepared agreement Board of Fire Commissioners with American La France Fire Engine Company.

March 16.—Delivered agreement to representative of Engine Company. Consultation.

March 16.—Appeared in Court of Sessions, trial Overseer of Poor vs. Hamilton.

March 17.—Prepared subpoenas in Hamilton case. Consultation with witnesses.

March 18.—Appeared in Recarder's Court, Board of Health vs. Polizanno (violation of Health Boar dordinance), serving subpoenas in Hamilton case.

March 19.—Appearance in Court of Sessions, Overseer of Poor vs. Hamilton.

March 23.—Consultation with complainant in Hamilton case.

March 24.—Appeared in Court of Sessions, Hamilton case. Attended meeting of Council.

March 29.—Examination of law, prepared resolution for Playground Commissioners, communication to Council, ordinance relative to bond issue, report of Committee of the Whole.

March 30.—Attended meeting of Board of Health.

March 31.—Consultation given Overseer of the Poor.

April 2.—Appeared in Recorder's Court in cases of Mayor and Council against T. C. Thusen, Mayor and Council vs. Mrs. Thusen, Mayor and Council vs. John D. Schroeder (violation city ordinances), judgment rendered in favor of city agtinst T. C. Thusen for $50.

April 5.—Prepared complaints, summons and cvonference with witnesses in cases against Thusen, Schroeder et als.

April 6.—Consultation with Chief Hayes and counsel for Thusen et als.

April 12.—Appeared in Recorder's Court in case of Mayor and Council of Hoboken vs. John D. Schroeder. Judgment for city for $50. Conference with complainant in non-support case (Schlichting).

April 13.—Appeared in Recorder's Court in case of Overseer of Poor vs. Oswald Mehnert, non-support; conviction obtained and defendant placed under bond; prepared bond, conditioned to pay $4.50 per week for support of children. Appeared in Recorder's Court in case of Mayor and Council of Hoboken vs. H. Groth; judgment for city for $50.

April 15.—Conference with witnesses in Thusen and Schroeder cases.

April 16.—Appeared in Recorder's Court, Mayor and Council vs. Thusen.

April 19.—Prepared forms of complaints for Recorder.

April 27.—Prepared resolution for Board of Health; attended meeting of Health Board.

April 28.—Attended meeting Board of Council.

May 11.—Tried case, Board of Health vs. Samuel Massarsky, Recorder's Court; judgment for city.

May 11.—Appeared in Recorder's Court in case of Mayor and Council vs. Domenick Marratto, Mayor and Council vs. Andrew Pierro, violation city ordinance; judgment in favor of city. Appeared in Recorder's Court, case of city vs. Nicholas Natalso and the city vs. Joseph Lambetta; iudgment for city.

May 13.—Conference with Corporation Attorney.

May 17.—Prepared repavement bond ordinance and ordinance for improvement of Madison street; attended meeting of Council.

May 18.—Typewriting copies repavebent bonds.

May 26.—Attended meeting of Council, prepared resolution.

June 8.—Prepared resolution relative to Citizens' Light, Heat and Power Company. Annual tax ordinance.

June 9.—Prepared annual tax ordinance.

June 14.—Appeared in Recorder's Court, case of Mayor and Council vs. Ulrich Wieman violation city ordinance.

June 18.—Appeared in Recorder's Court, case of Mayor and Council vs. Ulrich Wieman violation city ordinance.

June 25.—Appeared in Aecorder's Court, case of Mayor and Council vs. Ulrich Wieman violation city ordinance.

June 29.—Prepared opinion for Board of Health on pending complaints.

June 30.—Appeared in Recorder's Court in case of Mayor and Council vs. Ulrich Weiman; judgment in favor of city. Weiman then took out license.

July 28.—Attended meeting of Council.

September 2.—Appeared before Supreme Court Commissioner Joseph S. Parry, taking deposition of witnesess in certiorari proceed-

ings of North German Lloyd Steamship Company and Hoboken Land and Improvement Company ordinances.

September 13.—Appeared before Supreme Court Commissioner Joseph S. Parry, depositions of above matter. Prepared contracts and bonds for Board of Fire Commissioners for purchase of steam fire engine and aerial truck from American La France Fire Engine Company.

September 15.—Prepared resolution revising and readjusting boundary lines of five wards of city pursuant to requirements of peremytory mandamus.

September 22.—Prepared and delivered contracts and bonds to Board of Fire Commissioners. Appeared in Recorder's Court in case of Mayor and Council of Hoboken vs. New York Taxicab Company; judgment obtained in favor of city.

October 6.—Attended State Board of Equalization of Taxes at Trenton; obtained subpoenas and served subpoenas duces tecum upon Secretary of State, Board of Assessors in appeal proceedings of the D. L. & W. R. R. Company for the local assessment against the Hoboken Ferry Company property (lower ferry).

October 18—Attended State Board of Equalization of Taxes at Trenton; presented petition for order upon D. L. & W. R. R| Company; served subpoenas upon Secretary of State Board of Assessors in next above matter.

October 27.—Attended meeting of Council. Prepared resolutions.

November 8.—Conference with City Treasurer and City Clerk, examination of law relative to various offices and city departments.

November 9.—Evamination of law relative to next above matter.

November 10.—Appeared in Court in case of Mayor and Council of Hoboken vs. Samuel De Turo; obtained judgment for city for $50. Consultation with Water Registrar Bach and Water Inspector James Clark, relative to contractor at viaduct obtaining water from Jersey City. Called at City Clerk's office to attend meeting of Council.

November 61.—Appeared before Judge Blair Court of Sessions on appeal of Samuel De Turo from judgment rendered against him in

November 18.—Made search in Register'5s office, examined all deeds of Hoboken Land and Improvement Copmany on ferry exit property.

November 22.—Examination of city ordinances as to city employees.

November 24.—Prepared water bond, resolutions for sale to Sinking Fund. Prepared ordinances.

November 25.—Attended meeting of Council.

November 26.—Work on record of conviction, Mayor and Council vs. Samuel De Turo, typewriting record of conviction therein.

December 1.—Prepared resolution and ordinances. Attended meeting of Council. Examination of law relative to certiorari proceedings to have the Supreme Court review the judgment of the State Board of Equalization of Taxes, which pudgment set aside the entire local assessment against the Hoboken Ferry Company property at the lower ferry of $1,470,000, and the reduction of the local assessment of $440,000 on the buildings to $85,000.

December 2.—Examination of law and preparation of papers in next above matter. Prepared agreement and bond for Board of Fire Commissioners for removal of manure.

December 6.—Prepared complainant and warrant in the case of the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. Samuel Glazer; judgment for city for $50. Preparation of city's case in matter of lower ferry assessment.

December 7.—Preparation of city's case in matter of lower ferry assessment; affidavit and writ of certiorari.

December 8.—Preparation of certiorari matter next above. Attended meeting of Council. Examination of law relative to Peluso ash contract situation; prepared resolution.

December 10—Appeared before Judge Carey in Court of Sessions in case of Overseer of the Poor vs, Hamilton. Prepared and served notice of motion for committment of defendant for failure to give bond and pay amount of order of filiation.

December 11.—Appeared before Justice of Supreme Court Francis J. Swayze at his Chambers in Newark, presented application of city for writ of certiorari to review judgment of State Board of Equalization of Taxes on Hoboken Ferry Company property; obtained writ.

December 13.—Mailed writ and affidavit to Clerk of Supreme Court in city vs. State Board of Equalization of Taxes.

December 14.—Examination at Trenton in Clerk's office of proceedings relative to next above matter as well as affice of State Board of Taxation. Served writ of certiorari upon Clerk of State Board of Taxation.

December 15—Appeared before Judge Carey in Court of Sessions in case of Overseer of Poor vs. Hamilton. Attended meeting of Council; prepared resolutions.

December 16.—Preparation of certiorari case, Mayor and Council vs. State Board of Equalization of Taxes.

December 17.—Preparation of certiorari case, Mayor and Council vs. State Board of Equalization of Taxes.

December 18.—Preparation of certiorari case, Mayor and Council vs. State Board of Equalization of Taxes. Prepared temporary loan bonds, amount due Barber Asphalt Company.

December 20—Appeared before Judge Carey in case of Overseer of Poor vs. Hamilton. Prepared temporary loan bond (Peluso ash contract matter); prepared order of filiation.

December 21.—Preparation of reasons and certiorari, city vs. State Boar dof Equalization of Taxes; prepared contract for the removal of ashes and garbage and bond.

December 22—Appeared in eRcorder's Court in case of Board of Health vs. A. Kaplan; judgment for city $25.

The above matters are only those of which entry has been made in the books kept in my office.

In addition to the foregoing, there were very many items where such entry has been omitted or neglected, such as examination of the law and consultation with various city officials, the preparation of various resolutions, communications,ordinances, complaints, agreements and bonds, the preparation of papers in Recorder's Court proceedings for violation of city ordinances, and numerous consultations with complainants sent to my office by the Overseer of the Poor for examination of their cases, to ascertain if the city was justified in bringing non-support and bastardy proceedings.

I vhaaeppeared in other non-support and violation of city ordinance cases in behalf of the city than those above mentioned.

I have also been engaged in the matter of examining the titles of lots 12 and 13, block 2, of Robb, Kilpatrick, Botjer, Schimper & Co., lots 10 and 11, block 2; lot 14, block 2, for the contemplated Grand street extension, and also engaded in examining the titles of the property number 100, 102, 104 and 106 Hudson street, for the contemplated acquisition of a site for the new Police Headquarters.

There are now pending in my hands the following cases: Hoboken Printing and Publishing Company vs. the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken, in the Hudson Circuit Court; the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken vs. the State Board of Equalization of Taxes in the New Jersey Supreme Court, and Overseer of the Poor vs. Hamilton in the Hudosn County Court of Special Sessions.

Respectfully submitted,
HORACE L. ALLEN,
Asst. Corporation Attorney.

The following report from Horace L. Allen was presented, read and received:

Hoboken, N. J., Dec. 22, 1909.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Council of the City of Hoboken:

Gentlemen—I herewith submit extracts of the titles of the respective premises known as numbers 100, 102, 104 and 106 Hudson street, Hoboken, N. J., the present hodlers of title being Mr. Charles F. Mattlage, Mr. Peter L. Servas, Mr. Pietro Lenzi and Mr. Max Kuempel.

Respectfully submitted,
HORACE L. ALLEN.

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of bittulithic pavement on River street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and Sixth street, between Hudson and River streets, was presented, rad and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of the improvement of Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Assessments.

Report of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, on the completion of the improvement of Newark street, between Washington and River streets, was presented, read and referrerd to the Committes on Streets and Assessments.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board took a recess subject to the Call of the Chair.

ON REASSEMBLING.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Licenses, to whom were referred the following petitions for licenses and transfers, reported in favor of granting the prayer of the petitioner in each case:

For retail liquor licenses: John Jacobs, Victor Johnson, John Heinrichs, Nick Crisinich, William Argenziano, C. J. Tahen, Chas. Von Broock, John Amato, Henry Schrader, C. Van Wyk, Henry Maass, Nickolas E. Reuter, George A. Reich, Desimoni & Ruggeirri.

For transfer of retail liquor licenses: Nickolas E. Reuter, Edward Gottwald, Henry Muller.

For peddler's licenses: C. Tellegrades, Sun Quong Lung Co.

For truck license:Matteo Giordano.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the license and transfer granted in eac hcase by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The various Committees reported the following claims correct:

Joseph Girone & Bro., balance due on fireworks for Hudson-Fulton celebration	$9 90
Daniel Wallace, repairs at Armory	13 00
Wm. A. Barrett, washing towels	6 00
Hoboken Electric Equipment Co., electrical work at Police Headquarters	25 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished City Hall	2 10
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	4 00
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	5 50
Charles Hvass & Co., supplies furnished Street Department	29 50
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Street Department	45 60
John Zang, repairs for Street Department	58 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Sewer Department	90
Alfred Ludwig, supplies furnished Sewer Department	12 25
The Observer, stationery furnished City Clerk	88 75
The Observer, stationery furnished Collector of Revenue	6 30
The Observer, stationery furinshed Corporation Attorney	56 50
The Observer, stationery furnished city offices	50 10
The Observer, printing minutes of December 8 and December 15, 1909	222 00
Thomas J. McAleer, meals furnished prisoners	55 95
Wm. A. Barrett, caring for rooms of Companies K and M	15 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of lost children	8 00
Mrs. J. Davin, meals furnished prisoners	8 10
Fred. Luis, groceries furnished the poor	29 00
F. Siegel, groceries furnished the poor	3 00
Peter N. Koch, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
H. Behnken, groceries furnished the poor	20 00
J. Noonan, groceries furnished the poor	5 00
Braun & Gerdts, groceries furnished the poor	23 00
N. Kusseluk, groceries furnished the poor	12 00
George Hoffmann, medicine furnished the poor	52 90
E. Walden, care of homeless	2 50
Mrs. M. Fosdick, care of homeless	5 00
W. Jeffords, transportation of poor	1 35
Joseph Kostelecky, repairing ambulance	17 00
St. Mary's Hospital, care of sick, indigent poor, police cases, etc.	1,726 00
Thomas M. Abell & Co., supplies furnished Second Precinct	65
J. Aronson, glass furnished Secvond Precinct	4 00
S. Becker, glass furnished at Armory	21 40
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished City Hall	362 70
W. L. Kamena, coal furnished Police Matron	5 58
W. L. Kamena, coal and wood furnished parks	21 42
J. E. Kenna, electrical work at ambulance house	59 75
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall	65 80
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall	99 45
Walter Mulford, ice furnished City Hall	49 15
Antonio Monaco, six galvanized ash cans, etc.	22 50
H. J. Meyer, supplies furnished Second Precinct	10 00
C. Muzzi & Co., supplies furnished City Hall and Police Headquarters	13 90
Bernard McGovern, repairs at Second Precinct	35 20
George Pinner, glazing at Armory	12 00
J. M. Patterson, supplies furnished City Hall	19 00
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	15 10
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	8 80
Robert J. Rath, repairs at City Hall	39 73

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the claims ordered paid by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $1,180, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, as contractors for wood block pavement around School No. 7, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $2,540, in favor of Henry Waddington, as contractor for specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $197.77, in favor of Eugene Smith, as engineer for specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $69, in favor of Joseph H. Cummings, as inspector for specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $950, in favor of Henry Waddington, as contractor for specification block on Hudson Place and Hudson street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $47.26, in favor of Eugene Smith, as engineer for specification block on Hudson Place and Hudson street, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $45, in favor of Thomas Kehoe, as inspector for asphalt on Fifth street, between Garden and Bloomfield streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $53.84, in favor of Eugene Smith, as engineer for asphalt on Fifth street and other streets, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $39, in favor of Edward Moran, as inspector for wood block around City Hall, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the snm of $57.20, in favor of Henry Waddington, as contractor for ten receiving basins, reported the same correct.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Sewers, to whom was referred the final certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, for the sum of $144, in favor of Patrick Londrigan, as inspector for paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, reported the same corrrect.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received.

The Committee on Streets and Assessments, to whom was referred the following bond, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same:

Peter A. Peluso, for the removal of ashes, and garbage from September 25, 1909, to September 25, 1910.

On motion of Councilman Wren the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom were referred the following bonds, reported in favor of accepting and approving the same:

Thomas F. Devlin, as Excise Commissioner.

Herman M. Wendt, as Excise Commissioner.

Andrew Serventi, as Excise Commissioner.

Joseph Fullam, as Constable.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the report was received and the recommendation adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark, Zang and Bahrenburg presented the following:

Your Committee on Schools, to whom was referred the requisition from James Smith,

Custodian of School Moneys, for the sum of $37,000, to pay current expense sof the Board of Education, reported the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the School Fund for the sum of $37,000, in favor of James Smith, Custodian of School Moneys, to pay current expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen McFeely and Wren presented th efollowing:

Your Committee on Police and Militia, to whom was referred the requisition from the Boar dof Police Commissioners, for the sum of $6,413.67, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of December, 1909, reported the same correct, and therefore offer th efollowing:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Police Fund for the sum of $6,413.67, in favor of George H. Steil, President of the Boar dof Police Commissioners, to pay salaries, etc., of the Police Department for the last half month of December, 1909.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners, for the sum of $4,029.92, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the last half month of December, 1909, reported the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Rsolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $4,029.92, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor; James Smith, City Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay salaries of the Fire Department for the last half month of December, 1909.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Clark and Gonzales presented the following:

Your Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Fire Commissioners for the sum of $2,768.99, to pay claims of the Fire Department for the month of December, 1909, reported the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the Fire Fund for the sum of $2,768.99, in favor of George H. Steil, Mayor, James Smith, City Treasurer, and James Whalen, President of the Board of Fire Commissioners, to pay claims of the Fire Department for the month of December, 1909.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilmen Zang and Clark presented the following:

Your Committee on Finance and Salaries, to whom was referred the requisition from the Board of Water Commissioners, for the sum of $8,617.88, to pay for the laying of new water mains on Fifteenth and Madison streets, reported the same correct, and therefore offer the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw o warrant on their bond issue for the sum of $8,617.88, in favor of the Board of Water Commissioners, to pay for tne laying of new water mains on Fifteenth and Madison streets.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $950, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the improvement of specification block on Hudson Place and Hudson street, south of Newark street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $69, in favor of Joseph H. Cummings, inspector on the improvement of specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $197.77, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of specification block on Newark street between Washington and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $53.84, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of asphalt paving on Fifth street, between Garden and Bloomfield streets, and other streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw an improvement certificate for $144, in favor of Patrick Londrigan, inspector on the improvemetn of paving and sewer in Madison street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $47.26, in favor of Eugene Smith, engineer on the improvement of specification block on Hudson Place and Hudson street, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $2,540, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the improvement of specification block on Newark street, between Washington and River streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $45, in favor of Thomas Kehoe, inspector on the improvement of asphalt on Fifth street, between Bloomfield and Garden streets, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $57.20, in favor of Henry Waddington, contractor on the improvement of ten receiving basins, as per certificate fo Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $39, in favor of Edward Moran, inspector on the improvement of wood block around City Hall, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 22, 1909, and reported correct this date:

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant for $1,180, in favor of the Standard Bitulithic Company, on the improvement of wood block pavement around School No. 7, as per certificate of Eugene Smith, City Surveyor, presented December 8, 1909, and reported correct this date.

Adopted by the fololwing vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, Gonzales, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—None.

Absent—None.

Councilman Wren presented the following:

Resolved, That the claims of Peter A. Peluso, amounting to $3,248.73, for the removal of ashes and garbage, for the three months from September 25, 1909, to December 25, 1909, according to contract, be and the same are hereby ordered paid and the City Clerk is hereby ordered to draw a warrant to the order of Peter A. Peluso for the amount of $3,248.73 in payment of the same.

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Buckley, Clark, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Foley and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named city officers, to pay salaries for the last half month of December, 1909:

Edward Braden, salary as assistant park keeper	$30 00
Charles Costello, salary as foreman on Streets	32 50
James Carroll, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Thomas Feeley, salary as driver of sweeper	30 00
Charles Fieberling, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Hayes, salary as assistant park keeper	37 50
Patrick Keaveney, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kivlon, salary as assitant park keeper	30 00
Edward Kealey, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
John Murdock, salary as assistant stableman	25 00
Joseph Marshall, salary as driver	30 00
Jeremiah McCarthy, salary as driver	30 00
George McGuire, salary as stableman	30 00
Daniel O'Connor, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
William Reilly, salary as assistant park keeper	30 00
Michael Shields, salary as city gardener	30 00
John Sullivan, salary as park keeper	37 50
Frank Verbist, salary as park keeper	37 50
Emil Wagner, salary as park keeper	37 50

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nays—Councilmen Foley, Friedrichs and Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Zang presented the following:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw warrants on the Salary Fund, in favor of the following named named city officers to pay salaries to January 1, 1910:

Wm. J. Arlitz, one month's salary as City Physician	$83 33
Horace L. Allen, one month's salary as Assistant Corporation Attorney	150 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for First Assistant to Collector of Revenue	125 00
Richard Bowes, one month's salary for Second Assistant to Collector of Revenue	100 00
Wm. A. Barrett, one month's salary as Janitor of City Hall	75 00
H. L. Barck, Jr., one month's salary as Overseer of the Poor	116 66
F. W. Bender, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00

Louis Bender, one month's salary as Superintendent of Parks	150 00
Patrick Byrnes, one month's salary as Janitor of Second Precinct	75 00
Harry Bennett, one month's salary as Clerk of District Court	125 00
Thomas Coughlin, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessment of Taxes	100 00
Mrs. J. Davin, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Michael Dorsey, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00
W. J. Fitzpatrick, one month's salary as Second Assistant City Clerk	100 00
Mrs. M. Fosdick, one month's salary as Police Matron	40 00
Patrick R. Griffin, one month's salary as Street Commissioner	166 66
Chas. Guaraglia, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Peter Grace, one month's salary as Assistant Sluicegate Keeper	60 00
James Havron, one month's salary as Assistant City Clerk	116 66
Haddon Ivins, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
Fredk. Kaufmann, one month's salary as Comptroller and Auditor	208 33
Michael Kiely, one month's salary as Engineer of City Hall	75 00
Alex. E. Kittredge, one month's salary as Clerk of Recorder's Court	75 00
James H. Londrigan, one month's salary as City Clerk	125 00
Henry Lohmann, one month's salary as Commissioner of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
P. J. Murray, one month's salary as Clerk to Committee of Assessments of Taxes	100 00
John J. McGovern, one month's salary as Recorder	208 33
Thos. F. McLaughlin, one month's salary as Assistant Street Commissioner	125 00
Alex. Robb, one month's salary as License Inspector	125 00
John Schneider, one month's salary as Sliucegate Keeper	60 00
C. Irving Simon, one month's salary as Assistatn City Physician	83 33
Fredk. Steigleiter, one month's salary as Building Inspector	100 00
James Smith, one month's salary for Assistant City Treasurer	125 00
James Smith, one month's salary as Custodian of School Moneys	41 66
John Solferino, one month's salary as Sergeant-at-Arms of District Court	27 00
Frederick J. Stuhr, one month's salary as Judge of District Court	250 00
Diedrich Bahrenburg, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Richard Buckley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Richard Bowes, one quarter's salary as Collector of Revenue	625 00
Peter F. Clark, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Gustav Friedrichs, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
John J. Fallon, one quarter's salary as Corporation Attorney	625 00
Thomas J. Foley, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
George Gonzales, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Bernard McFeely, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
George H. Steil, one quarter's salary as Mayor	500 00
James Smith, one quarter's salary as City Treasurer	625 00
Thomas J. Wren, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Martin J. Whelan, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00
Charles Zang, one quarter's salary as Councilman	100 00

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren, Zang and Chairman Whelan.

Nay—Councilman Gonzales.

Absent—None.

Councilman Buckley moved that when the Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Wednesday, December 29, 1909, at 4 p. m.

Adopted.

On motion of Councilman Buckley the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

ADJOURNED SESSION.

Adjourned session of the Council, held at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, December 29, 1909.

Present—Councilmen Bahrenburg, Buckley, Gonzales and Zang.

Absent—Councilmen Clark, Foley, Friedrichs, McFeely, Wren and Chairman Whelan.

There being no quorum present, the Clerk declared the Board adjourned.

JAMES H. LONDRIGAN,
City Clerk.

GENERAL ELECTION

—FOR—

City and Ward Officers

—HELD—

November 2nd, 1909

OFFICIAL CANVAS

A statement of the result of an election in the City of Hoboken, in the County of Hudson, on the second day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and nine, for the election of a Mayor, a Water Commissionef for full terms, a Water Commissioner for unexpired term, five Excise Commissioners, five Councilmen and ten Tax Commissioners for said City.

FOR MAYOR.

George Gonzales received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and sixty-four	164	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and forty	140	"
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and twenty-four	224	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-nine	159	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and seventy-four	174	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundre dand fifty-eight	258	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundred and seventy-seven	277	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundred and ninety-four	294	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and seventy-two	172	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and seventy-three	273	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and seventy-three	173	"
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-three	123	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, ninety-two	92	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and eighty-five	285	"
First District, Fourth Ward, sixty	60	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-two	162	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-six	196	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and forty-eight	248	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and twenty-seven	127	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and eighty-four	184	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twelve	212	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and seventy-seven	277	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifty-eight	258	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifteen	215	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and sixty	160	"
Total	4907	"

FOR MAYOR.

Lawrence Fagan received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and two	202	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-eight	128	"
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and twenty-three	223	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and one	101	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and seven	107	"
First District, Second Ward, one hundred and ninety-two	192	"
Second District, Seocnd Ward, one hundred and forty-one	141	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-five	165	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and thirty-eight	138	"
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and seventy-five	175	"
Second District, Third Ward, two hundre dand sixty-two	262	"
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and thirty-five	235	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, two hundred and eight	208	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and fifty-six	256	"
First District, Fourth Ward, eighty-six	86	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and fifty-four	154	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and fifty-eight	158	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and seventy-six	176	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and twenty-six	226	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and eight	208	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hunder dand twenty-five	225	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ninety-two	192	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and sixty-seven	167	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-three	183	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and ten	210	"
Total	4518	"

FOR MAYOR.

Charles Kiehn received

First District, First Ward, none.	0	votes
Second District, First Ward, six..	6	"
Third District, First Ward, ten..	10	"
Fourth District, First Ward, eight	8	"
Fifth District, First Ward, none.	0	"
First District, Second Ward, five..	5	"

Second District, Second Ward, four	4	"
Third District, Second Ward, none	0	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, none	0	"
First District, Third Ward, one..	1	"
Second District, Third Ward, two.	2	"
Third District, Third Ward, three	3	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, six...	6	"
First District, Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, ten	10	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, four	4	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two..	2	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, three	3	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, none.	0	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, three.	3	"
Total	82	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Full Term.)

Robert C. Woerner received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-two.....	142	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and thirteen.....	113	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and sixty-seven.....	167	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and fourteen.....	114	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-four.....	134	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and thirteen.....	213	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundred and fifty-eight.....	258	"
Third District, Second Wardfi two hundred and sixty-nine.....	269	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty.....	160	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and twenty-four.....	224	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126	"
Third District, Third Ward, ninety-six	96	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eighty	80	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-three.....	243	"
First District, Fourth Ward, forty-seven	47	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and fifteen.....	115	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-eight.....	168	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and four.....	204	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, ninety	90	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and seventy-seven.....	177	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-one.....	221	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and eleven.....	211	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-nine.....	189	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty-three.....	143	"
Total	4020	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Full Term.)

Daniel Wallace received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and twenty-three.....	223	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-six.....	156	"
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and seventy-four.....	274	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-six.....	146	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-two.....	152	"
Firts District, Second Ward, two hundred and thirty-seven.....	237	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-three.....	163	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and ninety-seven.....	197	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-one.....	161	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and twenty-one.....	221	"
Second District, Third Ward, three hundred and eight.....	308	"
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and sixty-one.....	261	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, two hundred and seventeen.....	217	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and ninety-five.....	295	"
First District, Fourth Ward, ninety-seven	97	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-eight.....	198	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-one.....	191	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and twenty.....	220	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty-seven.....	257	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and sixty-seven.....	267	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and sixty-two.....	262	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and forty-five.....	245	"

Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifteen	215	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and nine.....	209	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and thirty-one.....	231	"
Total	5403	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Full Term.)

George J. Westphal received

First District, First Ward, none.	0	votes
Second District, First Ward, seven	7	"
Third District, First Ward, eleven	11	"
Fourth District, First Ward, eight	8	"
Fifth District, First Ward, none	0	"
First District, Second Ward, six..	6	"
Second District, Second Ward, four	4	"
Third District, Second Ward, none	0	"
Fourth District,Second Ward, three	3	"
First District, Third Ward, two..	2	"
Second District, Third Ward, two.	2	"
Third District, Third Ward, three	3	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, seven	7	"
First District, Fourth Ward, nene	0	"
Second District,Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, Fourth rd, four	4	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two..	2	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, four	4	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, none.	0	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, three	3	"
Total	92	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Unexpired Term.)

Bernard Slater received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-eight.....	138	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and nine.....	109	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and sixty-two.....	162	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-four.....	124	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-five.....	135	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and one.....	201	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundre dand fifty-three.....	253	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundred and sixty-eight.....	268	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and forty-nine.....	149	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and twenty-seven.....	227	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-four.....	124	"
Third District, Third Ward, ninety-six	96	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eighty	80	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-three.....	243	"
First District, Fourth Ward, forty-five	45	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and twenty-one.....	121	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty.....	160	"
Fourth Dirtrict, Fourth Ward, two hundred and three.....	203	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-nine	89	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and thirty.....	130	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-one.....	181	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and nineteen.....	219	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and eleven.....	211	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-three.....	183	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-nine.....	139	"
Total	3990	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Nnexpired Term.)

Martin Lyons received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and twenty-eight.....	228	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-seven.....	157	"
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and seventy-seven.....	277	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-five.....	135	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-two.....	152	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and forty-eight.....	248	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-five.....	165	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundre and one.....	201	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty.....	160	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and nineteen.....	219	"
Second District, Third Ward, three hundred and eleven.....	311	"
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and sixty-one.....	261	"

Fourth District, Third Ward, two hundred and eighteen.....	218	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundre dand ninety-three.....	293	"
First District, Fourth Ward, one hundred	100	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety.....	190	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-three.....	193	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and twenty-one.....	221	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty-six.....	256	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty-eight.....	258	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifty-eight.....	258	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and forty-nine.....	249	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fourteen.....	214	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and thirteen.....	213	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and thirty-one.....	231	"
Total	5408	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Unexpired Term.)

William Reumschussel received

First District, First Ward, none.	0	votes
Second District, First Ward, seven	7	"
Third District, First Ward, eleven	11	"
Fourth District, First Ward, nine	9	"
Fifth District, First Ward, none..	0	"
First District, Second Ward, six..	6	"
Second District, First Ward, four.	4	"
Third District, Second Ward, none	0	"
Fourth District,Second Ward, three	3	"
First District, Third Ward, two..	2	"
Second District, Third Ward, two	2	"
Third District, Third Ward, three	3	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, seven	7	"
First District, Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Second District,Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, four	4	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two..	2	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, four.	4	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, none..	0	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, three	3	"
Total	93	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Frederick Wendelken received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-seven.....	147	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and seventeen.....	117	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and seventy-eight.....	178	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-eight.....	128	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-two.....	142	"
First District, Second Ward, owo hundred and six.....	206	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundred and fifty-five.....	255	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundred and seventy-three.....	273	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty-seven.....	157	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and thirty-four.....	234	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-four.....	134	"
Third District, Third Ward, ninety-nine	99	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eighty-two	82	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and fifty-two	252	"
First District, Fourth Ward, fifty-one	51	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and nineteen.....	119	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and seventy-eight.....	178	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and ten.....	210	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, ninety-eight	98	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and forty.....	140	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-four.....	184	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and thirty-nine.....	239	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-five.....	225	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ninety.....	190	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty-six.....	146	"
Total	4184	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

William T. Hatton received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-nine.....	139	votes
Second District, Firs tWard, one hundred and fourteen.....	114	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and seventy-six.....	176	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty.....	130	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-two.....	132	"

First District, Second Ward, two hundred and fifteen	215	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundred and fifty-six	256	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundred and eighty-five	285	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty-seven	157	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and twenty-seven	227	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-three	133	"
Third District, Third Ward, ninety-four	94	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eighty-two	82	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-eight	248	"
First District, Fourth Ward, forty-six	46	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and twenty-eight	128	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-three	163	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-five	195	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, ninety-four	94	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and thirty-five	135	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-nine	189	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and thirty-four	234	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and eighteen	218	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and eleven	211	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and forty-eight	148	"
Total	4149	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Frank J. Lees received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-three	153	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-six	126	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and eighty-nine	189	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-seven	137	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-five	145	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and twenty-six	226	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundred and sixty-seven	267	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundred and eighty-three	283	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-five	165	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-five	245	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and eighty-one	181	"
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and twenty-three	123	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eighty-eight	88	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-five	245	"
First District, Fourth Ward, forty-seven	47	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and thirty-seven	137	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-one	161	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and eight	208	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, ninety-six	96	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and thirty-eight	138	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and eleven	211	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and sixty-four	264	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifty-three	253	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-six	226	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and sixty-one	161	"
Total	4475	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Ernst F. Muzzi received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-two	142	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-three	123	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and seventy-seven	177	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-two	132	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and forty	140	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and nine	209	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundred and forty-five	245	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundred and eighty-two	282	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty-four	154	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and thirty-nine	239	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and forty-seven	147	"
Third District, Third Ward, one hundred and fifteen	115	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, ninety-seven	97	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and eighty-two	282	"
First District, Fourth Ward, fifty-five	55	"

Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-two.....	162	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifteen.....	215	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and six.....	206	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and forty-seven.....	147	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and seventy-eight.....	178	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and four.....	204	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and forty-six.....	246	"
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and thirty-six.....	236	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and six	206	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and thirty-eight.....	138	"
Total	4472	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Wilson Taylor received

First District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-one.....	141	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and fourteen.....	114	"
Third District, First Ward, one hundred and sixty-seven.....	167	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-nine.....	129	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-seven.....	137	"
First District, Second Wardfi two hundred and seven.....	207	"
Second District, Second Ward, two hundred and fifty-six.....	256	"
Third District, Second Ward, two hundred and seventy-seven.....	277	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundre dand fifty-nine.....	159	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and sixty-one.....	261	"
Second District, Third Ward, one hundred and thirty-four.....	134	"
Third District, Third Ward, ninety-five	95	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, eighty-one	81	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-seven.....	247	"
First District, Fourth Ward, forty-seven	47	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and twenty-one.....	121	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-three.....	163	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and seven.....	207	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, eighty-eight	88	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and twenty-nine.....	129	"
First District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-seven.....	187	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-three.....	223	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-two.....	222	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred	200	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fifty.....	150	"
Total	4142	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Joseph S. Weinthal received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and twelve.....	212	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty.....	150	"
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and sixty-five.....	265	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-six.....	126	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-seven.....	137	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and forty-one.....	241	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty-eight.....	158	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and eighty-two.....	182	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty-two.....	152	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and eleven..... ...	211	"
Second District, Third Ward, two hundred and eighty-six.....	286	"
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and fifty-five..... ...	255	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and eight..... ..	208	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and seventy-six.....	276	"
First District, Fourth Ward, ninety-eight	98	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and eighty-three.....	183	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-nine.....	169	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-seven.....	197	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-three.....	193	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and twenty-seven.....	227	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and forty-three.....	243	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fourteen.....	214	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ninety-seven.....	197	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ninety.....	190	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-three.....	223	"

Total ..... 4993 "

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

William J. Reynolds received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and sixteen..... 216 "
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-four..... 144 "
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and sixty-nine..... 269 "
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and forty..... 140 "
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-eight..... 148 "
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and forty-one..... 241 "
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixty-four..... 164 "
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and eighty-five.. ..... 185 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty-one..... 151 "
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and six..... 206 "
Second District, Third Ward, three hundred and eight..... 308 "
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and sixty..... 260 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, two hundred and fourteen..... 214 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and ninety..... 290 "
First District, Fourth Ward, one Hundred .... 100 "
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-three..... 193 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and eighty-five..... 185 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and six..... 206 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty-one . . .. 251 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty-three..... 253 "
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifty-three..... 253 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and forty-one..... 241 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and four..... 204 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and five.... ..... 205 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twenty-four..... 224 "

Total ..... 5251 "

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Herman M. Wendt received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and two..... 202 votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-one..... 151 "
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and sixty-five..... 265 "
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and twenty-seven..... 127 "
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and forty-eight..... 148 "
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and thirty-two..... 232 "
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and forty-eight..... 148 "
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and seventy-three..... 173 "
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and forty-four..... 144 "
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and ninety-seven..... 197 "
Second District, Third Ward, two hundred and seventy-four..... 274 "
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-two..... 242 "
Fourth District, Third Ward, two hundred and eleven..... 211 "
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and seventy-eight..... 278 "
First District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and one..... 101 "
Secon District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and seventy-three..... 173 "
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and seventy-five..... 175 "
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-four..... 194 "
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty-one..... 251 "
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and forty-two..... 242 "
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and nineteen..... 219 "
Second District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty-nine..... 189 "
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hunrded and fifty-seven..... 157 "
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and fifty-three..... 153 "
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and eleven..... 211 "

Total ..... 4857 "

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Andrew Serventi received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and eleven..... 211 votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-eight..... 138 "
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and thirty-eight..... 238 "
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and ten..... 110 "
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-eight..... 138 "

First District, Second Ward, two hundred and fifteen	215	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and sixteen	116	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and seventy-six	176	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and forty-three	143	"
First District, Third Ward, one hundred and ninety	190	"
Second District, Third Ward, two hundred and sixty-four	264	"
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and forty-five	245	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, two hundred and twelve	212	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and ninety-three	293	"
First District, Fourth Ward, ninety-eight	98	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and fifty-two	152	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and sixty-nine	169	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and two	202	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and forty-three	243	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and forty-two	242	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and thirty-three	233	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and six	206	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and eighty	180	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and sixty-five	165	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, one hundred and ninety-three	193	"
Total	4772	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Thomas F. Devlin received

First District, First Ward, two hundred and eleven	211	votes
Second District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-three	153	"
Third District, First Ward, two hundred and sixty-three	263	"
Fourth District, First Ward, one hundred and thirty-eight	138	"
Fifth District, First Ward, one hundred and fifty-three	153	"
First District, Second Ward, two hundred and forty-nine	249	"
Second District, Second Ward, one hundred and seventy	170	"
Third District, Second Ward, one hundred and ninety-nine	199	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, one hundred and fifty-seven	157	"
First District, Third Ward, two hundred and twenty-two	222	"
Second District, Third Ward, two hundred and ninety-nine	299	"
Third District, Third Ward, two hundred and sixty-six	266	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, two hundred and ten	210	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, two hundred and eighty-three	283	"
First District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and two	102	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and ninety-four	194	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, one hundred and seventy-nine	179	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and eighteen	218	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty-eight	258	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and fifty	250	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifty-six	256	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, two hundred and forty-four	244	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and twelve	212	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and fifteen	215	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, two hundred and thirty-five	235	"
Total	5336	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Frederick Habermann received

First District, First Ward, none.	0	votes
Second District, First Ward, seven	7	"
Third District, First Ward, eleven	11	"
Fourth District, First Ward, nine.	9	"
Fifth District, First Ward, none.	0	"
First District, Second Ward, six..	6	"
Second District, Second Ward, four	4	"
Third District, Second Ward, none	0	"
Fourth District, Second Ward, three	3	"
First District, Third Ward, two.	2	"
Second District, Third Ward, two	2	"
Third District, Third Ward, three	3	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, seven	7	"
First District, Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, four	4	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two..	2	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, four	4	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Total	90	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Paul Ferdinand Klinger received

First District, First Ward, none.	0	votes
Second District, First Ward, seven	7	"
Third District, First Ward, eleven	11	"
Fourth District, First Ward, nine	9	"
Fifth District, First Ward, none.	0	"
First District, Second Ward, six.	6	"
Second District, Second Ward, four	4	"
Third District, Second Ward, none	0	"
Fourth Distrrict, Second Ward, three	3	"
First District, Third Ward, two.	2	"
Second District, Third Ward, two.	2	"
Third District, Third Ward, three	3	"
Fourth District, Third Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Third Ward, seven	7	"
First District, Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Second District, Fourth Ward, none	0	"
Third District, Fourth Ward, seven	7	"
Fourth District, Fourth Ward, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, Fourth Ward, four	4	"
Sixth District, Fourth Ward, eight	8	"
First District, Fifth Ward, two.	2	"
Second District, Fifth Ward, four	4	"
Third District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Fourth District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Fifth District, Fifth Ward, none	0	"
Total	90	"

FIRST WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Willam L. Draffin received

First District, one hundred and fifty-one	151	votes
Second District, one hundred and twenty-seven	127	"
Third District, two hundred and one	201	"
Fourth District, one hundred and thirty-seven	137	"
Fifth District, one hundred and forty-one	141	"
Total	757	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Frederick J. Anderson received

First District, two hundred and fifteen	215	votes
Second District, one hundred and forty-two	142	"
Third District, two hundred and forty-six	246	"
Fourth District, one hundred and twenty-three	123	"
Fifth District, one hundred and forty-four	144	"
Total	870	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

August Vatalins received

First District, none	0	votes
Second District, six	6	"
Third District, ten	10	"
Fourth District, nine	9	"
Fifth District, eleven	11	"
Total	36	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Dominick J. Livelli received

First District, one hundred and thirty-seven	137	votes
Second District, one hundred and ten	110	"
Third District, one hundred and sixty	160	"
Fourth District, one hundred and twenty	120	"
Fifth District, one hundred and thirty-four	134	"
Total	661	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Frederick W. Grube received

First District, two hundred and twenty-eight	228	votes
Second District, one hundred and fifty-eight	158	"
Third District, two hundred and eighty-two	282	"
Fourth District, one hundred and thirty-seven	137	"
Fifth District, one hundred and fifty	150	"
Total	955	"

SECOND WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Anthony J. Volk received

First District, two hundred and thirty-eight	238	votes
Second District, two hundred and eighty-five	285	"
Third District, three hundred and five	305	"
Fourth Distrizt, one hundred and sixty-one	161	"
Total	989	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Charles Zang received

First District, two hundred and eleven	211 votes
Second District, one hundred and thirty-one	131 "
Third District, one hundred and sixty-two	162 "
Fourth District, one hundred and forty-nine	149 "
Total	653 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Thomas C. McNamara received

First District, two hundred	200 votes
Second District, two hundred and forty-eight	248 "
Third District, two hundred and sixty-five	265 "
Fourth District, one hundred and forty-eight	148 "
Total	861 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

David Van Wyk received

First District, two hundred and forty-nine	249 votes
Second District, one hundred and sixty-six	166 "
Third District, two hundred and one	201 "
Fourth District, one hundred and sixty-one	161 "
Total	777 "

THIRD WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

George J. Heaney received

First District, two hundred and thirty-five	235 votes
Second District, one hundred and thirty-six	136 "
Third District, ninety-three	93 "
Fourth District, eighty-six	86 "
Fifth District, two hundred and forty-five	245 "
Total	795 "

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Thomas J. Wren received

First District, two hundred and eight	208 votes
Second District, two hundred and ninety-eight	298 "
Third District, two hundred and sixty-five	265 "
Fourth District, two hundred and eleven	211 "
Fifth District, two hundred and ninety-four	294 "
Total	1276 "

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Earnest Fischer received

First District, two	2 votes
Second District, two	2 "
Third District, three	3 "
Fourth District, six	6 "
Fifth District, six	6 "
Total	19 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

William Fincheon received

First District, two hundred and twenty-seven	227 votes
Second District, one hundred and twenty-four	124 "
Third District, ninety-seven	97 "
Fourth District, seventy-nine	79 "
Fifth District, two hundred and forty-one	241 "
Total	768 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Antonio Monaco received

First District, two hundred and fifteen	215 votes
Second District, one hundred and eight	108 "
Third District, two hundred and fifty-nine	259 "
Fourth District, two hundred and fourteen	214 "
Fifth District, two hundred and ninety-four	294 "
Total	1090 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Frank Kapsch received

First District, two	2 votes
Second District, two	2 "
Third District, three	3 "
Fourth District, six	6 "
Fifth District, seven	7 "
Total	20 "

FOURTH WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Richrd Madden received

First District, fifty-seven	57 votes
Second District, one hundred and forty-five	145 "

Third District, one hundred and forty	140	"
Fourth District, one hundred and ninety	190	"
Fifth District, one hundred and two	102	"
Sixth District, one hundred and thirty-two	132	"
Total	766	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

August T. Pflugh received

First District, ninety-two	92	votes
Second District, one hundred and seventy-four	174	"
Third District, two hundred and fourteen	214	"
Fourth District, two hundred and thirty-two	232	"
Fifth District, two hundred and fifty	250	"
Sixth District, two hundred and fifty-nine	259	"
Total	1221	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Christian Kurz received

First District, none	0	votes
Second District, none	0	"
Third District, seven	7	"
Fourth District, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, four	4	"
Sixth District, eight	8	"
Total	30	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

William G. Faist received

First District, forty-six	46	votes
Second District, one hundred and twenty	120	"
Third District, one hundred and sixty-one	161	"
Fourth District, two hundred and four	204	"
Fifth District, eighty-nine	89	"
Sixth District, one hundred and twenty-three	123	"
Total	743	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

John A. Cross received

First District, ninety-five	95	votes
Second District, one hundred and ninety-six	196	"
Third District, one hundred and ninety	190	"
Fourth District, two hundred and twenty	220	"
Fifth District, two hundred and sixty-two	262	"
Sixth District, two hundred and sixty-nine	269	"
Total	1232	"

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Gustav Nicolai, Sr., received

First District, none	0	votes
Second District, none	0	"
Third District, seven	7	"
Fourth District, eleven	11	"
Fifth District, four	4	"
Sixth District, eight	8	"
Total	30	"

FIFTH WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

William Hunter received

First District, two hundred and one	201	votes
Second District, two hundred and thirty-two	232	"
Third District, two hundred and thirty-three	233	"
Fourth District, two hundred	200	"
Fifth District, one hundred and thirty-four	134	"
Total	1000	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

John J. Delaney received

First District, two hundred and thirty-seven	237	votes
Second District, two hundred and thirty-three	233	"
Third District, one hundred and ninety-two	192	"
Fourth District, one hundred and ninety-eight	198	"
Fifth District, two hundred and thirty-six	236	"
Total	1096	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Emil Mehnert received

First District, two	2	votes
Second District, four	4	"
Third District, six	6	"
Fourth District, none	0	"
Fifth District, three	3	"
Total	15	"

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Anthony J. Ritz received

First District, three	3 votes
Second District, two	2 "
Third District, none	0 "
Fourth District, one	1 "
Fifth District, none	0 "
Total	6 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

John N. Meyer received

First District, one hundred and seventy-eight	178 votes
Second District, two hundred and fourteen	214 "
Third District, two hundred and six	206 "
Fourth District, one hundred and eighty-three	183 "
Fifth District, one hundred and thirty-eight	138 "
Total	919 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Philip Steuerwald received

First District, two hundred and sixty-two	262 votes
Second District, two hundred and forty-eight	248 "
Third District, two hundred and twenty	220 "
Fourth District, two hundred and fifteen	215 "
Fifth District, two hundred and thirty-one	231 "
Total	1176 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Gustav Jaeck received

First District, none	0 votes
Second District, four	4 "
Third District, six	6 "
Fourth District, none	0 "
Fifth District, none	0 "
Total	10 "

RECAPITULATION.

FOR MAYOR.

George Gonzales received

First Ward, eight hundred and sixty-one	861 votes
Second Ward, ten hundred and one	1001 "
Third Ward, nine hundred and forty-six	946 "
Fourth Ward, nine hundred and seventy-seven	977 "
Fifth Ward, eleven hundred and twenty-two	1122 "
Total	4907 "

FOR MAYOR.

Lawrence Fagan received

First Ward, seven hundred and sixty-one	761 votes
Second Ward, six hundred and thirty-six	636 "
Third Ward, eleven hundred and thirty-six	1136 "
Fourth Ward, ten hundred and eight	1008 "
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and seventy-seven	977 "
Total	4518 "

FOR MAYOR.

Charles Kiehn received

First Ward, twenty-four	24 votes
Second Ward, nine	9 "
Third Ward, twelve	12 "
Fourth Ward, twenty-nine	29 "
Fifth Ward, eight	8 "
Total	82 "

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Full Term.)

Robert C. Woerner received

First Ward, six hundred and seventy	670 votes
Second Ward, eight hundred and ninety	890 "
Third Ward, seven hundred and sixty-nine	769 "
Fourth Ward, seven hundred and fifty	750 "
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and forty-one	941 "
Total	4020 "

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Full Term.)

Daniel Wallace received

First Ward, nine hundred and fifty-one	951 votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and fifty-eight	758 "
Third Ward, thirteen hundred and two	1302 "
Fourth Ward, twelve hundred and thirty	1230 "

Fifth Ward, eleven hundred and sixty-two	1162	"
Total	5403	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Full Term.

George J. Westphal received

First Ward, twenty-six	26	votes
Second Ward, thirteen	13	"
Third Ward, fourteen	14	"
Fourth Ward, thirty	30	"
Fifth Ward, nine	9	"
Total	92	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Unexpired Term.)

Bernard Slater received

First Ward, six hundred and sixty-eight	668	votes
Second Ward, eight hundred and seventy-one	871	"
Third Ward, seven hundred and seventy	770	"
Fourth Ward, seven hundred and forty-eight	748	"
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and thirty-three	933	"
Total	3990	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Unexpired Term.)

Martin Lyons received

First Ward, nine hundred and forty-nine	949	votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and seventy-four	774	"
Third Ward, thirteen hundred and two	1302	"
Fourth Ward, twelve hundred and eighteen	1218	"
Fifth Ward, eleven hundred and sixty-five	1165	"
Total	5408	"

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(Unexpired Term.)

William Reumschussel received

First Ward, twenty-seven	27	votes
Second Ward, thirteen	13	"
Third Ward, fourteen	14	"
Fourth Ward, thirty	30	"
Fifth Ward, nine	9	"
Total	93	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Frederick Wendelken received

First Ward, seven hundred and twelve	712	votes
Secand Word, eight hundred and ninety-one	891	"
Third Ward, eight hundred and one	801	"
Fourth Ward, seven hundred and ninety-six	796	"
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and eighty-four	984	"
Total	4184	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

William T. Hatton received

First Ward, six hundred and ninety-one	691	votes
Second Ward, nine hundred and thirteen	913	"
Third Ward, seven hundred and eighty-four	784	"
Fourth Ward, seven hundred and sixty-one	761	"
Fifth Ward, ten hundred	1000	"
Total	4149	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Frank J. Lees received

First Ward, seven hundred and fifty	750	votes
Second Ward, nine hundred and forty-one	941	"
Third Ward, eight hundred and eighty-two	882	"
Fourth Ward, seven hundred and eighty-seven	787	"
Fifth Ward, eleven hundred and fifteen	1115	"
Total	4475	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Ernst F. Muzzi received

First Ward, seven hundred and fourteen	714	votes
Second Ward, eight hundred and ninety	890	"
Third Ward, eight hundred and eighty	880	"
Fourth Ward, ten hundred and thirty-three	1033	"
Fifth Ward, ten hundred and thirty	1030	"

Total ..... 4472 "

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Wilson Taylor received

First Ward, six hundred and eighty-eight	688	votes
Second Ward, eight hundred and ninety-nine	899	"
Third Ward, eight hundred and eighteen	818	"
Fourth Ward, seven hundred and fifty-five	755	"
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and eighty-two	982	"
Total	4142	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Joseph S. Weinthal received

First Ward, eight hundred and ninety	980	votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and thirty-three	733	"
Third Ward, twelve hundred and thirty-six	1236	"
Fourth Ward, ten hundred and sixty-seven	1067	"
Fifth Ward, ten hundred and sixty-seven	1067	"
Total	4993	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

William J. Reynolds received

First Ward, nine hundred and seventeen	917	votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and forty-one	741	"
Third Ward, twelve hundred and seventy-eight	1278	"
Fourth Ward, eleven hundred and eighty-eight	1188	"
Fifth Ward, eleven hundred and twenty-seven	1127	"
Total	5251	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Herman M. Wendt received

First Ward, eight hundred and ninety-three	893	votes
Second Ward, six hundred and ninety-seven	697	"
Third Ward, twelve hundred and two	1202	"
Fourth Ward, eleven hundred and thirty-six	1136	"
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and twenty-nine	929	"
Total	4857	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Andrew Serventi received

First Ward, eight hundred and thirty-five	835	votes
Second Ward, six hundred and fifty	650	"
Third Ward, twelve hundred and four	1204	"
Fourth Ward, eleven hundred and six	1106	"
Fifth Ward, nine hundred and seventy-seven	977	"
Total	4772	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Thomas F. Devlin received

First Ward, nine hundred and eighteen	918	votes
Second Ward, seven hundred and seventy-five	775	"
Third Ward, twelve hundred and eighty	1280	"
Fourth Ward, twelve hundred and one	1201	"
Fifth Ward, eleven hundred and sixty-two	1162	"
Total	5336	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Frederick Habermann received

First Ward, twenty-seven	27	votes
Second Ward, thirteen	13	"
Third Ward, fourteen	14	"
Fourth Ward, thirty	30	"
Fifth Ward, six	6	"
Total	90	"

FOR EXCISE COMMISSIONER.

Paul Ferdinand Klinger received

First Ward, twenty-seven	27	votes
Second Ward, thirteen	13	"
Third Ward, fourteen	14	"
Fourth Ward, thirty	30	"
Fifth Ward, six	6	"
Total	90	"

FIRST WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

William L. Draffin received seven hundred and fifty-seven.....757 votes
Frederick J. Anderson received eight hundred and seventy..... 870 "
August Vatalins received thirty-six .... 36 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Dominick J. Livelli received six hundred and sixty-one..... 661 votes
Frederick W. Grube received nine hundred and fifty-five..... 955 "

SECOND WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Anthony J. Volk received nine hundred and eighty-nine ..... 989 votes
Charles Zang received six hundred and fifty-three ..... 653 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

Thomas C. McNamara received eight hundred and sixty-one.... 861 votes
David Van Wyk received seven hundred and seventy-seven..... 777 "

THIRD WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

George J. Heaney received seven hundred and ninety-five..... 795 votes
Thomas J. Wren received twelve hundre dand seventy-six..... 1276 "
Ernst Fischer received nineteen.. 19 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

William Fincheon received seven hundred and isxty-eight..... 768 votes
Antonio Monaco received ten hundred and ninety..... 1090 "
Frank Kapsch received twenty.... 20 "

FOURTH WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

Richard Madden received seven hundred and sixty-six..... 766 votes
August T. Pflugh received twelve hundred and twenty-one..... 1221 "
Christian Kurz received thirty.... 30 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

William G. Faist received seven hundred and forty-three..... 743 votes
John A. Cross received twelve hundred and thirty-two..... 1232 "
Gustav Nivolia, Sr., received thirty 30 "

FIFTH WARD.

FOR COUNCILMAN.

William Hunter received ten hundred .... 1000 votes
John J. Delaney received ten hundred and ninety-six..... 1096 "
Emil Mehnert received fifteen.... 15 "
Anthony C. Ritz received six..... 6 "

FOR TAX COMMISSIONER.

John N. Meyer received nine hundred and nineteen..... 919 votes
Philip Steuerwald received eleven hundred and seventy-six..... 1176 "
Gustav Jeck received ten..... 10 "

A sattement of the determination of the Board of County Canvassers, relative to an election held in the City of Hoboken, on the second day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine, for the eletcion of a Mayor, a Water Commissioner (full term), a Water Commissioner (unexpired term), five Excise Commissioners, five Councilmen and ten Tax Commissioners for said City.

The said Board do determine that at said election George Gonzales was duly elected Mayor, Daniel Wallace was duly elected Water Commissioner for full term, Martin Lyons was duly elected Water Commissioner for unexpired term, Joseph S. Weinthal, William J. Reynolds, Herman M. Wendt, Andrew Serventi and Thomas F. Devlin were duly elected Excise Commissioners. The following were duly elected Councilman: From the First Ward, Frederick J. Anderson; from the Second Ward, Anthony J. Volk; from the Third Ward, Thomas J. Wren; from the Fourth Ward, August T. Pflugh, and from the Fifth Ward, John J. Delaney. The following were duly elected Tax Commissioners: From the Firet Ward, Dominick J. Livelli and Frederick W. Grube; from the Seocnd Ward, Thomas C. McNamara and David Van Wyk; from the Third Ward, Willlam Fincheon and Antonio Monaco; from the Fourth Ward, Willlam G. Faist and John A. Cross, and from the Fifth Ward, John N. Meyer and Philip Steuerwald, for said Ciay.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the determination of the Board of County Canvassers, therein mentioned.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this eleventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN ZELLER,
Chairman of the County
Board of Canvassers.

Attest:
EDWIN ... GRITTEN,
Deputy County Clerk,
Clerk.

We do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, fu.. and correct statement of the result of the election above mentioned, as

the same is exhibited by the statements produced and laid before the Board of County Canvassrs, according to law, and that the same exhibits the number of the names of the voters in the poll-books of the Ward and election districts, respectively, and of the ballots rejected, the whole number of the names of the voters in the poll-books of the several Wards and election districts, the name of each person for whom any vote or votes were given, the number of votes given for each person in each Ward and election district, and the whole number of votes given for each person for each office designated for him, as they appear by the statements so produced and laid before said Board.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this eleventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundre dand nine.

JOHN ZELLER,
WILLIAM LEAHY,
THOMAS F. A. GRIFFIN,
ANTHONY J. TRASSO,
Board of County Canvassers.

Attest:
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